THE ST. LOUIS HORROR
is recited in detail by the splendid news organization of the Associated Press in this evening's TRIBUNE.

Oakland Tribune.

THOSE WHO TRY
Advertising once stay with it always. It pays.

VOL. XXXXI. OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 28, 1896. NO. 161.

DEATH'S WHIRLWIND

Over Seven Hundred Lives Lost in the Terrible Tornado at St. Louis.

FAMILIES SWEPT OUT OF EXISTENCE.

Estimates of the Damage Wrought in St. Louis Alone Figure Up Thirty Million Dollars.

FURIOUS FIRES RAGED AND COULD NOT BE FOUGHT.

Huge Buildings Leveled to the Ground and Eads's Big Bridge Demolished.

SHIPS SINK IN THE RIVER.

The Storm Cut a Trail of Destruction Through the Heart of the City.

ITS APPROACH WAS WATCHED

A Greenish-Hued Cloud Crept Up and Then Came the Fearful Hurricane.

One of the most terrible tornadoes in the history of the world swept over St. Louis yesterday evening, leaving a trail of death and ruin. The latest estimates show that in St. Louis and East St. Louis at least 500 were killed. In the adjacent country the death-roll foots up about 200 more, making a total of over 700. Thousands are injured. Estimates of the damage done in St. Louis alone range from $10,000,000 to $30,000,000. In the country the property losses are proportionately enormous.

THE TRAGIC TALE.

Detailed Description of the Horrors of the Tempest.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Two hundred lives snuffed out in this city, as many more in East St. Louis, property destroyed in value running up into millions, is the record made by the 27th day of May 1896. This is a conservative estimate.

No possible idea of the number of people killed in the tornado that swept this vicinity yesterday afternoon can be made at this time.

South St. Louis is littered with the bodies of the dead.

East St. Louis is a gigantic cemetery, under debris of the buildings of that city are scores buried, whose bodies will not be brought to light for many days, perhaps never.

It was the most disastrous storm from every point of view in the history of the southwest.

The storm did little damage in the business and northern portions of the city, save along the river front, where the damage cannot be estimated; nor will it ever be known just how many gave up their lives in the waters of the Mississippi when the tornado came down and tore all the boats in the harbor from their moorings.

The channel is full of wreckage.

In South St. Louis the storm spent its force. All the way from Papin street to Carondolet it put a stamp on the face of the city that will not be effaced for years.

Big, strong buildings fell before the wind like houses made of cards. From where it entered the city, out in the southwestern suburbs to where it left, somewhere near the Eads bridge, there is a wide path of ruin.

Factory after factory went down and piles of bricks and timbers mark the spots on which they stood. Dwellings were picked up and thrown in every direction.

Business houses were flattened. There was no chance for the escape of the occupants. The ruins covered bruised and mangled bodies that will not be uncovered until a systematic search is made.

Thousands of families in South St. Louis are homeless, practically, and the temporary hospitals shelter scores and hundreds.

Early in the storm the plant of the Laclede Gas Company, at Fourteenth and Poplar streets, was destroyed and a large portion of the central part of the city was cut off from its gas supply.

This affected the newspaper offices severely. In the Republic office no gas could be obtained to heat the metal on the linotype machines and the only type-setting done on machines in which the metal was melted by blow lamps This accounts for the twisted conditions of the typographical department of the Republic this morning and also for its limited size.

The Scullin line will be crippled for weeks because of the blowing down of the power house on Greyer avenue.

Wires are down all over the city. Liggett and Meyer's big factory in Compton Heights is in ruins and many were killed and injured in the wreck.

Elevators were blown down, boats were sunk and churches and school houses were demolished.

RUIN AND DISASTER.

Day Broke on a Scene of Wrecked Homes and Death.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—When the sun rose on St. Louis and vicinity this morning it showed a scene of terrible ruin and disaster. Wind, rain and fire had combined in the mission of destruction.

Two hundred lives were lost in this city and as many more in East St. Louis, while thousands were injured, many so severely that they cannot recover.

The exact number will not be known for many days, perhaps never, for the debris of ruined buildings all over the city covers hundreds of human beings.

The damage and destruction to property will aggregate many millions, but the exact amount cannot be estimated with any degree of certainty.

The terrible tornado that caused this destruction struck the city yesterday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock, and all parts of the city and East St. Louis felt the effects.

The greatest damage on this side of the river was inflicted within a three mile strip along the mighty stream.

Many buildings totally collapsed, others were unroofed, while very few in the city escaped injury.

WATCHED IT COMING.

How the Storm Worked Up and the Way It Broke.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Hours of sultriness, puffs of wind coming by turns from all points of the compass, the flying hither and thither of light, mist-like formations across dull, dark-colored masses—these were the characteristics of the afternoon which brought to St. Louis the most disastrous storm in the city's history.

For hours the torrents shifted, the wind blew hot and cold, and the storm center developed. The fury of the elements was borne within the city limits.

In the west a thunder storm developed. The early muttering indicated nothing more alarming than a downpour with ordinary electrical accompaniments

This rain cloud came up slowly at first from the west, beyond Forest Park.

As the black rim mounted higher above the horizon, its arc embraced more territory to the north and south.

A strong wind from the east began to blow right in the face of the storm. It was the lower current.

Suddenly the wind stopped blowing from the east and there swept from the northwest a terrific gale which made the best built structures tremble.

With the hurricane, for that was the first form the storm took, when it broke over the western part of the city, came a deluge.

From a few minutes before 5 until 5:30, this hurricane blew from the northwest.

Then there came a lull. The currents shifted. In the southwest there came into existence a storm cloud with the essential features of a tornado, a funnel shape.

This second storm burst upon the city from the southwest.

It came in on the south of Lafayette Park, struck the City Hospital and from there tore its way through the city to the river by a notheasterly course.

It wrought havoc that will leave traces in that part of the city, which lies east of Seventh street, and north of Cerre street to Eads Bridge.

Boats were torn from their moorings and capsized or went adrift.

The cloud crossed the river, demolished the upper work at the east end of the bridge, and then wreaked its fury on East St. Louis.

Shortly after 6 o'clock, with the sun more than an hour above the western horizon, there settled upon the city clouds so dense that daylight quickly gave place to the darkness of midnight.

That was the precursor of the tornado from the southwest.

The hurricane from the northwest gave the western portion of the city a severe shaking up.

The tornado from the southwest, which is responsible for the loss of life and the destruction along the levee district and in East St. Louis, followed the hurricane by about half an hour.

COURSE OF THE STORM.

It Swept Through the Entire City in a Wide Path.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—In St. Louis the destroyer seemed to have a course that lay chiefly between the railroad track and Lafayette avenue, though it swept the entire city, cutting a wide swath wherever it did any damage.

The complete suspension of the telephone communication and street car traffic multiplied the inconveniences and obstacles that beset the police department and added to the general discomfort.

There were few means of summoning ambulances for the removal of the dead or injured and these were carried to various places in wagons or on litters.

The city dispensary was overcrowded.

The demolition of the city hospital prevented the use of that institution and hundreds of persons hastened there to aid the unfortunate patients.

It was at first intended to utilize the armory or exposition building for the injured, but the old house of the Good Shepard was pressed into use.

The wharf was the scene of the worst devastation this side of the river.

Before the storm steamboats, wharf boats and barges were moored from Biddle street to Chouteau avenue.

These were swept from the fastenings almost in a solid phalanx and cast adrift. Some were overturned and sunk, others blown across and crushed against the other side.

The Anchor Line wharf boat and excursion boat were the only craft left between the bridge and Spruce street.

Both were shoved upon the bank, indicating the storm had a rotary motion, as all other crafts were blown in other directions.

Some were seen floating when the brunt of the storm had passed but in nearly all the upper works were torn away.

A SCARE ON THE RIVER.

Engineers Got Ready to Pull Out From the Scene.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—When the first evidence of the approaching storm began to appear, every engineer on the river got up full steam in order to be able to combat the elements.

Had it been anything but a tornado it is probable this would have aided the crews of the steamers in saving their craft.

But the onslaught was so violent that the crews found their efforts only sufficient to aid them slightly in directing the course of their boats.

The steamer Pittsburg of the Diamond Jo line, the steamer City of Vicksburg and the Providence of the Columbian Exposition Company; the Captain Monroe, of the Anchor line, and many of the smaller craft were pitched and tossed about until the final blast rent them from their anchorage.

The storm swept diagonally across the river and struck the Illinois bank with increased fury.

The loss of life in the water on the east side seems to be light, as everybody was cautioned not to jump and everybody was carried safely to land.

The City of Vicksburg is almost a total wreck.

The City of Providence was blown up on the Illinois bank, her rudder, cabin, and smokestack are gone.

The Stt. Louis and St. Paul Packet Company's steamer St. Paul had started for Keokuk when the tornado struck the city. She has not been heard from since. She had a full cabin list.

The Belle of Calhoun and the Libbie Condor which were moored near Chouteau avenue, were almost totally broken up.

The Ellen G. Smith, the Harbor boat, was blown away down the river and was wrecked near Arsenal Island. It is thought no lives were lost on this boat.

The steamer Ed. Harvester, of the Missouri Valley Transportation Company was also torn from its dock and carried down the river.

Many heroic acts were performed in the saving of lives as the result of the storm.

When the City of Monroe listed away from the anchor line wharf there were about forty passengers on board and a full crew, as the boat was just making ready for the trip to New Orleans.

When the moorings finally gave way the boat lurched over on its starboard side and nearly capsized. The movement threw nearly all the freight to the starboardside and served to hold the boat in its perilous position. Captain Viegler made a reassuring speech to the passengers, which slightly quieted the extreme excitement. He said they were all safe. When the boat struck the Illinois bank the captain was not to be found.

A tug had a marvelous escape from drowning when the boat was blown from its moorings at the foot of Washington avenue. On board were three men and two women, the latter Jennie Miller, cook and Emma Nolan, chambermaid.

When the storm broke the men were on the deck and the women below. The mate saw that the storm was to be a hard one and began to ring the alarm bell.

Then the steamer Dragon, which left its moorings, was blown out into the stream.

At the same moment the Dolphin's ropes parted and the tug began to ship water.

The wind blew her against the bridge. While this was going on the women and the men on the boat climbed to the upper decks. When the boat struck the bridge those on board had to dodge to escape the iron work of the structure. The mate saw there was no hope if they stayed on board.

Jennie Miller was the first to climb on the iron-work. She was assisted by two of the men while the mate stayed on deck to help Emma Nolan.

As she swung herself to the beams the boat drifted away and sank before the eyes of the horrified crew. Slowly with the wind blowing with a force that caused the big structure to rock like a cradle, the three brave men assisted the women on the laborious climb to the roadway.

Several times they were nearly blown off They finally reached the railroad track on the bridge where they lay down until the full force of the storm was passed. Then they crawled to the Washington avenue station.

THE WATER FRONT.

Excursion Steamers Just Missed the Passage of the Storm.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Along the levee front hawsers snapped and boats were sent adrift, some to go down, others to go ashore on the astern bank.

The loss of life which might have taken place at this point was averted by the hour at which the tornado came.

A little later the excursion steamers would have been going out. None of them had left the wharves.

The other river passenger boats had gone an hour before, and although not heard from, probably had passed beyond the path of the storm.

The death-dealing cloud passed the river at such an angle as to strike and wreck the upper works at the east end of Eads bridge and to sweep part of East St. Louis.

Perhaps the most impressive evidence of the storm-cloud's force is seen in the wrench of the eastern end of the Eads bridge. There the tornado dealt with stone and masonry.

It tore off and tumbled down tons upon tons of masonry.

Beginning with the big eastern pier and extending to a foot of the incline, the cloud cut off the upper part of the structure as if it had been a flimsy trestle instead of a structure of world-famed masonry.

DEEDS OF HEROISM.

Brave Men Who Forgot Themselves in the Hour of Peril.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Passengers on boats related many accounts of heroism performed by roustabouts.

On the Libbie Conger, which was ground to pieces on the Illinois shore, was Captain Zaman, his wife and child, a boy aged 5. When the storm appeared the negro took the child in his arms and plunged overboard, bearing the Captain's boy safely through the boiling waters to the Illinois shore. Captain Zaman rescued his wife.

This morning John McDowell, a roustabout on the tug Alliance, which is performing great work among the boats, which line the Illinois bank for miles down the river, returned to the city, burdened with messages to loving ones from fathers and brothers telling their safety. They reported the Madill blown to pieces and that the crews swam ashore. He thought every man escaped. He reported that the ferries at the foot of Anna street and at East Carondelet had been blown to pieces and sunk with the crews and passengers. This could not be verified.

Captain Pat Carmoody's presence of mind prevented a panic at the Fair Grounds. When the crowd appealed for protection from the tornado, Pat corralled the frightened people under the stand and forced them to remain there. He held a mob of about 300 in check, and it was lucky for them that he did so. Everybody was trying to get out and wanted to make a break for the south side stand. While Carmoody was holding them back, the roof of the stand was blown out and the debris fell just where the people wanted to go. Carmoody's good judgment saved many lives. Part of the roof landed on the natural bridge road and several bodies were buried beneath the debris.

Six unknown men were found in front of the Union Depot railroad power house badly lacerated.

Katie Filsinger had a broken leg.

The driver of Penny and Gentle's wagon named Fechtemeyer, was thrown from his wagon and had his skull fractured.

Thomas Moss, Secretary of the Fire Department, was picked up unconscious after the storm and sent to the City Hospital.

A BRIDGE BLOWN AWAY.

A Train Was Just Crossing and Was Turned Completely Over.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—While the storm was at its highest the passenger train of the Chicago & Alton Railway pulled out on the bridge from the Missouri side on its way east.

Engineer Scott proceeded only a short distance when he realized the awful danger.

The wind struck the coaches.

The train was about half way across

The overhead poles were snapping and tumbling into the river, while large stones were shifting loose from their foundations and plunging into the water.

Realizing that any moment his train might be blown into the water or else the bridge be blown away, Scott put on a full head in an effort to make the east side of the shore.

The train had scarcely proceeded two hundred feet, and was about the same distance from the shore when the upper span of the bridge was blown away.

Tons of huge granite blocks tumbled to the tracks, where the train loaded with passengers, had been but a moment before.

About the same instant, the wind struck the train upsetting all the cars like play things. Luckily no one was killed but several were taken out severely injured.

The wrecked part of the bridge is just east of the big tower near the Illinois shore, and extends east about 300 feet.

The entire upper portion, traversed by street cars and carriages is carried away, while the tracks beneath are buried in debris, in some places eight feet deep.

FIRE ADDS HORRORS.

A Huge Warehouse and Factory Soon Wrapped in Flames.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The St. Louis Refrigerator & Wooden Cutter Company's entire plant at Main and Park street was destroyed. The plant consisted of a four-story factory, a four-story warehouse, a bicycle factory and several smaller buildings.

When the cyclone struck the plant there was at work between 400 and 500 men and women. The top stories of the warehouse and factory were blown off

Fortunately there were only a few people on the top floor and all but two are thought to have escaped with slight injuries.

One of the employes was seen shortly after the crash and he was positive at least two of his fellow-workmen had been buried in the ruins.

Fire broke out in the warehouse just after the top floor was destroyed. The panic stricken employes rushed pell mell from the buildings leaving many disabled behind them.

To add to their horror hundreds of pieces of heavy lumber from adjoining lumber yards came flying through the air and forced many back into the blazing buildings.

Alarms were sent in from all the fire alarm boxes in the neighborhood but the wires were already useless.

Chief Swingley happened to be crossing the Fourteenth street bridge and saw the blaze. He drove to the nearest engine house, and piloted the apparatus to the fire. By the time the engine arrived the warehouse was a mass of flames and the fire had already spread to the factory across the alley. The ground for blocks around were covered with lumber and brick and the fire plug near the business buildings were under masses of debris.

It was sometime before water could be secured and much difficulty was experienced in dragging the hose to the building.

The Chief hurried off after more apparatus and succeeded in getting several companies to the fire. It was seen that the entire plant was doomed so the main efforts of the department were directed toward preventing a spread of the flames.

At 10 o'clock the fire was under control, and at midnight it was practically out.

FIGHTING THE FLAMES.

Conflagrations Burst Forth in All Parts of the City.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—A few minutes after the cyclone passed fires broke out all over the city.

Alarms were sounded, but usually in vain, as the fire engine houses could not be communicated with.

The firemen had to pick their way through the blinding rain among masses of tangled live wires to the scenes of the fire.

Then many water plugs proved useless.

Rain helped materially to quench the fires, and by midnight all the fires were reported under control.

Firemen patrolled the city with lanterns all night.

At the burning of the St. Louis Refrigerator & Gutter warehouse several injured firemen had been taken from the wreck and three more were known to be in the cellar dead.

Three brothers named Hardy were dangerously injured.

It is said that probably 70 more were still buried in the ruins.

When the storm was at its height the gas holder at Eighteenth street collapsed, columns of burning gas leaping into the air.

Redsel's mill was one of the first to become ignited and it was totally destroyed at a loss of $150,000.

Harris Barrel Factory, nearly fifty loaded cars in the terminal yards, Lynch's boarding house, Heard's feed store, Lee's blacksmithshop and other smaller places were burned.

The destruction of the water works early in the storm cut off the water supply, and Chief Purdy and his men fought the fire with a bucket brigade as best they could.

The whole central portion of the city was threatened by the burning mill, but all hands worked with such a will that its further spread was prevented.

The fire caused consternation.

The fire added much to the loss account. The alarm system was paralyzed. The approaches were blockaded.

Fire added at least $500,000 to the losses of the storm.

Such a night of horror in St. Louis was never known before.

The hurricane came when the business center of the city had begun to send the workers to their homes.

Service on almost all the street railways was suddenly suspended.

When night came soon after the premature darkening brought by the tornado, no electric lamps blazed up.

Many thousands of men and women toiled homeward through the drenching rain.

Wires in the city are dangling from the

NOT HOW CHEAP. BUT HOW GOOD.
BYRON RUTLEY'S
FINE TAILORING AT REASONABLE PRICES
1167 WASHINGTON ST., NR. 14th
OAKLAND, CAL.

A. STEFFANONI'S STOCK

OAKLAND'S FINEST JEWELRY STORE
UNDER MANAGEMENT OF
HUGH MAULDIN

I am authorized to again offer for a limited number of days at prices NO GREATER THAN DEALERS PAY AT WHOLESALE, the entire stock of A. Steffanoni, 13th and Broadway, at private sale.

HUGH MAULDIN,
MANAGER.

Sale Peremptory. No Reserve. Terms Cash.

COAL OIL

The Purity of COAL OIL makes its burning quality. The High Fire Test makes its safety. Buswell's Palace Brilliant is both pure and safe.

BUSWELL PAINT CO.
S. E. Cor. 4th and Broadway.

poles. Every electric light circuit is shut off.

HIT THE POOR HOUSE.

Eighty Inmates Injured, but Most Miraculously Escaped.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The Poor House, situated at the extreme southeast limit of the city, suffered severely from the storm. The entire roof of the female building was torn off and flung yards away.

Large posts were twisted away from the walls.

The main damage was done by the destruction of the tower on the top of the Central Building. It crashed entirely through the building down into the basement. There were eight columns supporting the roof, and in falling these carried the floors of the buildings beneath.

Eighty inmates received numerous wounds from flying glass and bricks.

Incredible as it seems, with 1050 patients in the building, 750 of whom are insane, not a life was lost at the Poor House.

The damage to the buildings is estimated at $100,000.

THE EAST SIDE.

Many Households Were Completely Wiped Out of Existence.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

EAST ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The sisters of St. Mary's Hospital kept no record of the injured received, but it is believed the number was over fifty.

Only a few were considered in a critical condition.

Two or three died after being received at the hospital.

In comparison to its size, the fatalities and suffering of East St. Louis greatly exceed those on this side of the river.

The larger part of the central portion of the city is razed to the ground, while on the flats along the river bank north of the Eads bridge, not a house is left standing.

The loss of life is terrible.

Scarcely one family seems to have escaped without some member being killed, while many households were wiped out of existence.

A conservative estimate of the dead there is placed at 150.

The Catholic Church, St. John of Nepomic, was demolished, except the front, which stands like a tower.

Roy D. Moore of the Vandalia freight clerk, was caught in the wreck of the freight office with about thirty others. He was pinned in near six others who were all taken out alive. As to the twenty-five others, he could not say what became of them.

Mrs. Horace Trump was at the bedside of a sick sister with a year old baby in her arms and a four year old daughter near on the floor, when the storm struck the house. The baby and four year old daughter were instantly killed. Mrs. Trump is considerably bruised.

Standing on the viaduct bridge at midnight, one could hear the agonizing screams of the wounded.

At 10 o'clock last night a special train was sent to Belleville for fire engines to assist in fighting the fire.

INTO THE COUNTRY.

With Unabated Fury the Cyclone Moves to the West.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The storm, after wreaking a chaos of destruction in South St. Louis, moved westward into the country.

At Clayton, county seat, the Presbyterian Church was leveled to the ground, and another church wrecked. Part of the court house at Clayton was also torn down.

Houses were unroofed or totally destroyed in the path of the storm.

The cyclone struck eight miles north of Mexico.

Those known to be killed are:

Eliza Ware, daughter of J. G. Ware.
Hilda Blaz, 6 years old.
Eulah Miller, 9.
Rose Hodge, 6.
Son of Albert Knoeble.

IN ILLINOIS.

A Large Extent of Territory Is Invaded by the Storm

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KEWANEE, Ill., May 28.—A terrific wind and electric storm passed through this section early this morning doing great damage. Several people are reported killed.

THE SOUTHERN SECTION.

CENTRALIA, Ill., May 28.—The storm last night passed through south Illinois and spread destruction over a large extent of territory, west, south and southeast of Centralia.

New Baden a village on the air line railroad west of Centralia, was completely wiped out, only six houses remaining. Thirty-six lives were lost there.

At New Madrid, southeast of this city, seven persons are reported killed and thirty injured.

The cyclone pursued an easterly course taking in the villages of Irvington, Rich View, Ashley, Boyd, Dix. Houses were blown down and persons killed in all these places.

It is estimated that in the counties of Clinton Washington, and Jefferson, fifty lives have been lost. All the wires are down.

IN INDIANA.

A Quarter of a Million Dollars Damage in One Town.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ANDERSON, Ind., May 28.—The storm struck this city last night, injuring several people, and doing $250,000 damage.

The buildings of the American Strawboard Company, Anderson Bicycle Company, National Tin-plate Co. and Presbyterian Church were blown down.

AT MOUNT VERNON.

MOUNT VERNON, Ind., May 28.—The tornado struck the southern portion of this city at 10 o'clock last night wrecking nineteen buildings.

Many people escaped death or serious injury. The loss is great and the relief force is securing aid for storm-stricken people.

WALL PAPER

Until further notice we will give 10% off on every purchase of Wall Paper to any person cutting this ad out and presenting it.

UHL BROS.,
420 Twelfth Street.

PENNSYLVANIA TOO.

A Rolling Mill Blown Down and More Loss of Life.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 28.—Columbia was struck by a cyclone at noon today.

The Columbia Rolling Mills has been razed to the ground.

One man is reported killed.

MOMENTS OF MISERY.

Anxious Friends Search the Ruins for the Dead.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Voluntary rescue parties, squads of police and companies of the Fire Department are scattered about the devastated district searching the ruins for bodies.

Every few moments a sudden shifting of the crowds and signaling for conveyance told of a gruesome find, and the occasional immediate identification of the mangled remains by waiting friends added horror to the scene.

A SAD SHOWING.

Over Five Hundred Lives Lost in St. Louis Alone.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—(Bulletin)—The death list in St. Louis proper will surely be over 200 and may reach 300.

In East St. Louis at least 200 persons were killed.

The loss in this city is enormous, the estimates ranging from ten to thirty millions.

Laid out on improvised slabs, composed of coffin boxes, at the morgue this morning, were more than twenty five bodies.

THE DEATH ROLL.

A Partial List of Those Who Perished in the Storm.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Among the dead are:

Mr. Martell and three servant girls at the Martell House.
Mr. and Mrs. David S. Sage.
George Woods, clerk in Vandalia office.
Henry Spricker, Vandalia Line.
Dr. C. B. Hull, dentist.
Two children of Mrs. Horace Kump, of Litchfield Ill.
Mrs. Rickey.
Joe Frank.
Joe Mitchell.
Phil Strickler.
Miles Mitchell.
Charles Carroll.
Charles Kent.
Mrs. Scott Hayward
Frank Ross.
O. Kavanaugh.
Jacob Kurtz, Vincennes, Ind.
Mrs. Bruce.
Mrs. Emma Sullivan.
Robert Bland.
John Reames.
Charles Walles
William Burbor.
Henry Winterman.
——— Anderson.
Peter Walmsley.
Miss Conley.
Mrs. Slide
Flagman of Air Line, name unknown.
John Hayes.
Mrs. Pat Bean.
Unknown boy.
J. A. Porter.
Charles Waite.
William Surrer.
Mrs. Stock
J. A. Porter.
L. Richardson, flagman for Vandalia Railroad.
Amelia Surrer.
John Reams.
Scott Hayward.
Peter Walmsley.
John Anderson.
Mrs. Bruce
Emma Sullivan.
Jacob Kintze.
P. J. Strickler.
Michael Kildea.
Thomas Keene.
Bert Farrell.
William Farrell.
Frank McCormack.
Joseph Franks.
Ex-Policeman Thomas Griffin and family of three.
Frank Rose.
Robert Bland.
John Valentine.
City Collector David S. Sage and wife.
Phillip Strickler Jr. and mother.
Judge Faulk, Vandalia, Illinois.
Mrs. Martell.
All the boarders of the Martell House except Judge Hope of Alton, Illinois.
Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes.
William Hayes.
All the boarders at the Tremont House, estimated at sixteen.
Myler Mitchell.
William Mitchell.
William Sullivan and wife.
Mrs. John Reed.
Patrick Dean and family of six.
John Buchart.
Edward O'Brien.
John Breen.
Ida Claddue.
Mrs. Roose.
Albert Vilkman.
——— Mitchell.
John Sullivan.
William Rickey.
Son of Mrs. Ida Keen.
Henry Winterman.
Jacob Koerbe.
Forty-one unidentified dead.
Infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. Beckman, crushed to death.
Benjamin Desila.
Alexander Chubringer.
James Dunn.
Francis Corrideguez.
Fred Wells, 3 years old.
Sarah Wells, 8 months old.
Mrs. Carter and child.
Peter Detrich.
Max Weiss.
Malachy McDonald, Superintendent Waters-Pierce Oil Co.
——— Jones, engineer, Aetna Iron Works.
Frank Fisher.
Emma Cheney.
Isabella Horn of the Sawyer Manufacturing Company.
Charles Handy Zimmerman killed at the Union Depot Company's house.
Katie Claypool.
Unknown traveling man, supposed to be connected with Cincinnati Cigar Company.

In addition to this the bodies of four unknown men and two unknown women are waiting identification at Henner's livery stable and undertaking rooms and Kurwus morgue.

The body of an unknown woman was found lying under the Hellzey residence, Broadway and Rock Road.

THE INJURED.

Names of Some of Those Who Were Caught in the Disaster.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The seriously injured are:

John Bewiger, houseman at St. Clair Hotel.
H. C. Hall, engineer R. & O.
Mrs. Ellen Hennessy, 212 St. Louis avenue, chest crushed, will die.
W. H. Williams, assistant superintendent of St. Louis & East St. Louis Electric Railway; right arm broken, head cut and internally injured; will probably die.
Patrick Kennedy, internally injured.
D. Bender, Clerk Big Four; internally injured.
J. H. Bushanam, Howell, Ind., internally injuries.
J. H. McMann, head cut.
T. P. Elam, blacksmith, Vandalia, internal injuries.
H. C. Van Meetter, Baltimore & Ohio road, timber through thigh, will probably die.
William Hope, Big Four, legs badly fractured.
Mayor H. F. Badee, badly injured about the head by flying timbers.
Mrs. Horace Trump, internal injuries.
Bert Farrell, both legs cut off at the thigh.
Dan Kelly, crushed by falling buildings.
Joe Duffy, same.
William Price, same.
Baby B. Rower, 500 West Broadway leg broken.
John Block, internal injuries.
Ambrose Horman both legs and left arm broken.
James Ramsey, same.
Four members of Armour family.
Frank Roff, Venice, Ill., internal injuries.
William Hops, thigh fractured.
Ed. Call thigh broken.
Peter Harris, shoulder broken.
Mrs. L. Hientel, 516 Missouri avenue thigh broken.
City Clerk Jerry Kane missing.

The following laborers working on the four story iron frame at Liggett & Meyers' cigarette factory were injured:

Patrick Tracey, right hand torn off.
James Lahey, hurt internally.
John Toomey, internally injured.
Joseph Boyd, leg broken, spine hurt.
Mike Boyd, internal injuries.
Patrick Roug, internally.
James Lenahan, internally.
Michael Mulroon, internally.
James Lointhus, eyes put out, scalp wounds.
Thomas Griffith, hip injured.
David Lewis, head and body cut.
Caroline Rolland, internally.
Albert Platz, leg and ankle broken.
Albert Schute, leg and arm broken.

At the City Hospital, Harry Ottoson Laurence Childress and Mary Finan were all three badly cut and bruised.

Sixty paupers of the hospital were more or less injured.

Tom Carroll and Joseph Ireland sought shelter in a doorway and were injured by flying wreckage.

Abbie Turke of St. Louis and Julius Skaffer injured internally; not expected to live.

Harry Smith, Nokomic, Illinois, badly injured.

Charles Street, Newport, Arkansas serious condition.

Peter Hal, seriously injured.

Maud H. Tinker, Danville, Wisconsin, believed to be fatally injured.

J. W. Tinker, M. I. Tinker, J. L. Tinker, all of Waterloo, Illinois, injuries, M. I. Tinker, serious.

Patrick McMahon, serious bruises on body.

Ben Brennan, badly hurt.

John Balkins, badly hurt, unconscious.

J. L. Holknap, contusion about the face and head, serious.

James Conway, badly injured about body and shoulders.

Pedro O'Connor, aged 11, run over by coal train driven by wind, leg crushed.

William Beckman, badly cut and bruised and injured internally.

Wm. Dousman, badly cut and bruised.

Mrs. James Crevelling, found unconscious in wrecked home.

Charles Dunn, head cut, internally injured.

SEEKING THE DEAD.

Estimates of the Number of Lives Lost in the City.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Health Commissioner Strakloff two hours after the tornado passed, sent word that the deaths would reach 200 and no fewer than 1000 persons had sustained serious injuries.

By midnight reporters had visited all the stricken portion of the city and suburbs.

The list of dead discovered fell far below the first estimates, but it was long enough to be appalling.

Crushed beneath falling walls, hurled against the sides of buildings, struck by flying timbers, cut by shattered glass, shocked by the net work of wires humanity suffered in ways innumerable.

The names of all the injured will never be known.

Of the destruction of property there can be no satisfactory estimate given.

The loss in extent and in character is beyond conception.

In the flashes of lightning last night the city hospital looked like a ruin. The new surgical ward was partially demolished. Portions of the three other buildings were unroofed. The walls were cracked.

In the darkness the physicians began the removal of the patients to temporary quarters, fearful that the strained structures would go down in the general collapse.

There were 450 sick people in the hospital when the storm came.

Some gathered strength in their fright, and ran shrieking from the place, finding shelter on the outside. Thirteen were injured in one ward.

The Convention Hall and four courts were in the path of the cloud as it passed from the city hospital toward the river.

The Convention Hall lost part of the roof. Ten days' work and an expenditure of $5000 will make the hall good again.

A section of the brick wall of the jail went down and the prisoners were panic-stricken.

In the district between Sixth street and the river north from Chouteau avenue the tornado tore a path, every building sustaining damage.

Some gathered strength in their over, walls were levelled thousands of windows smashed, and miles of telegraph and telephone wires left in a network on the ground.

Through this district the streets are impassable. They are covered in places with debris ten feet deep.

TWO STORMS MET.

Report of the Weather Bureau on the Cause of the Disaster.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—H. W. Frankenfield, the local weather officer, said:

"For the past week the weather in the vicinity of St. Louis has been characterized by low pressure, high temperature, excessive humidity and prevailing southerly winds.

"The pressure has also been low throughout the west. At the same time, it was relatively high in the South causing warm southerly winds laden with moisture to blow from the Gulf of Mexico.

"This moisture has been held in suspense by the warm atmosphere and the humidity consequently increased from day to day.

"The temperature averaged three to thirteen degrees above normal each day while the humidity ranged seven to twenty degrees each.

"Wednesday morning the weather map showed a low pressure still overlying the west with a centre of depression extending in an irregular form from the Texas Pan-handle through West Kansas and Nebraska. Throughout the state of Missouri, high temperature and humidities prevailed with south winds. The day would be popularly termed, 'warm, hazy, muggy.'"

"Although reports are missing, owing to the widespread destruction it is evident the storm area moved slowly east during the day.

"The barometer commenced to fall at noon and at one o'clock it had fallen one thirteenth of an inch.

"About this time, the sky became overcast with dark, thickly cumulated strata, which by three o'clock formed a cloud which commenced to assume a light green color in the northeast. This green cloud slowly advanced from the northeast spread more to the west and north and the temperature commenced to fall.

"The normal cyclonic circulation thus brought the winds of different temperatures and humidities into an upper position with the results that a decided instability was produced in the atmosphere and a violent secondary storm center was created. The barometer continued to fall rapidly and by 5 P. M. it had fallen two-fifths of an inch since noon.

"The winds were becoming variable with a tendency toward a northerly direction until lightning and thunder commenced at 4:30 P. M.

"At 5:04 P. M., the storm broke forth in all its fury. The wind changed suddenly to the northwest with rapidly increasing velocity and rain fell in torrents.

"The green cloud still remained in the west and north, but the storm moved toward the east with large angry detached masses of cumulus clouds crossing each other.

"At 4:15 P. M., the wind changed from the north, having the greatest velocity in the history of St. Louis.

"About 5 P. M., the wind had reached about sixty-two miles and later on, it changed in its direction to southeast.

"From 5:04 P. M., to 6:04 P. M., 1.53 inches had fallen in all.

"The electrical storm was of unusual volume. The sky was almost one continuous blaze of light and the clouds extended far into the south."

ARMY TENTS.

Temporary Shelter to Be Provided by Order of Congress.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The following resolution was presented in the House today by Joy of St. Louis and adopted:

"Be it Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled, that the Secretary of War be and he is hereby authorized to lend the Mayors of St. Louis and East St. Louis, under such regulations and restrictions as he may see proper, a sufficient number of tents to temporarily shelter such citizens as may have lost their homes by the tornado yesterday."

When the resolution reached the Senate unanimous consent was given to take it up.

Senator Vest said Missouri was able to take care of her people, and later reports had shown the first reports of the terrible calamity to have been exaggerated.

He said it would do no harm to pass the resolution, however.

The resolution was changed from concurrent to joint and passed.

SEEKING SAFETY.

Outgoing Trains Crowded With Hosts of Scared Citizens.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The Union station was crowded last night by persons awaiting departure of trains on which they intended to leave town. Railway business was virtually demoralized for a time.

Incoming and outgoing trains were detained or stalled for hours.

Communication over the railway companies' wires was suspended in several directions.

THE TERMS REFUSED.

No Compromise Effected Yet by the Congressional Committees.

SOME SICKLERS TURN UP.

The New Organization Insists on the Balance of Power.

CONFERENCE IS ORDERED.

The Date of the Primaries Is Changed to August 8th.

Shrouded in a veil of mystery and behind locked doors the new Third Congressional District Committee held a meeting last night which was of decided interest and will have material bearing on the political future. The strictest secrecy was maintained about the most unimportant details and when the session adjourned at nearly 1 o'clock in the morning, there was not one member who would give the slightest information as to the real happenings. Today a Tribune man visited seven of those in attendance last night to see why such rigid silence was enforced. No one knew anything. W. R. Davis who, although not a member of the committee, was one of the chief actors, said that nothing had been done except some talk regarding harmony. When asked if the old committee had submitted a compromise proposition he refused to talk.

Hugh Aldrich, the secretary, looked wise and solemnly stated that nothing had been done which he was at liberty to speak of, and others talked in a similar vein.

However, despite the secrecy, the cat is out of the bag and the committee did do many things. One thing which transpired, and a very important one, too, is that the members of the newly empowered committee are fighting away among themselves and the first harmony which must be restored will be needed in its own ranks. The split is over the method of a compromise proposition.

The entire proceedings last night were as follows:

The committee was called to order in the office of Col. Babcock by Chairman Friend and the following were present, Messrs. George C. Pardee, proxy for Anderson of Solano; Attorney Hill, proxy for Browning; Strowbridge, Babcock, Aldrich, Friend, Edgar and Sands. W. R. Davis, Frank Leach and John Bell were also in attendance.

After roll call W. R. Davis, acting in the capacity of representative legal advisor or some such position for the old Congressional Committee, submitted a lengthy proposition from the committee whereby it could obtain representation. He spoke at length on the subject and while he formed the measure, told the members to form their own opinions.

The proposition was then considered seriatum. The first section which caused discussion was the required change of the date of primaries from July 11th to August 8th. Nearly every member had his say on this and when a final vote was taken it was conceded by five ayes to three noes.

Next came a request for a change of meeting place of the Congressional Convention from Vallejo to Oakland. Here the opposition was manifest, though after an hour's wrangle a unanimous vote resulted in rejecting this section.

The proposition to select one man from each committee, these to select a third and empowering this committee with power to name equally all election officers for the primaries, then occupied attention. It was stipulated that the third man was merely to cast a deciding vote in case the other two agreed. Everybody had something to say about it, but it was finally rejected, despite some protests.

Then came the matter of the selection of delegates to the Convention.

The proposition was to elect the representatives directly from the people in each district. It was finally agreed to have forty-seven polling places in this county and at each one representative shall be elected directly. The great register is to be used and no one not on it five days prior to primaries can vote. This was done to offset any stuffing, which had been rumored would be the order.

THE PROPOSED COMPROMISE.

The fight came on the proposition to give each committee one-half of all election boards in the county. This was to be arranged so that each committee would have a majority on one-half of the entire election boards, that is, each was to appoint one judge and one clerk and to alternate in the selections of inspectors. The talk and arguments which followed formed one of the features of the secret session. It was openly stated that if the committee acceded to this plan it would show that the members were afraid to exercise their rights, and for a time there was considerable feeling expressed. When a vote was taken, it resulted in a tie, 4 to 4.

Chairman Friend refused to exercise his prerogative to cast a deciding vote, so the proposition was rejected. This was a knock-out to the old committee.

The talk developed the fact that the new committee is willing to allow the old organization to have one judge and one tally clerk on the boards, but that the "primary" men intend to keep the inspector every time and thus hold the balance of power.

Another proposition was that the twelve members in each committee embrace the other and form one united body of twenty-four members, which should decide all contests, fix the rolls and attend to other necessary business. This was rejected, though its champions were in evidence. In speaking against it, it was urged that the old committee had given away all its powers to the committee to be comprised of county chairmen, and that it would be foolish to again recognize them.

Again a snag was struck when it was suggested that the powers of issuing the call be vested in the proposed committee of three, which was to prepare the document, hand it to the County Central Committee and have the word "resolved" written at the head. Then the County Central Committee was to issue it as its call. The little word "resolved" caused another hour's talk, though from general sentiment it seemed as though the committee was willing to have the County Central Committee issue the call, providing that it was arranged by the "Friend" faction in accordance with their views.

One strong effort was made to force the whole proposition through, and some members now have the suspicion that others are not sincere in working for the interests which the "primary" men arose to champion.

From general talk, it is evident that Edgar, Strowbridge, Aldrich and Sands are standing pat together and fighting for what they claim to be "the people's rights."

It further developed that the members of the Friend committee are willing to accord to their political opponents a fair and just representation, that is, according to their own estimation of the amount of honors they are entitled to, but it is said there is no inclination to go out of the business entirely as a Congressional Committee and give others the powers so hard battled for.

Just before 1 o'clock, when the discussion was at its height, Aldrich precipitated matters by moving to adjourn. This was not popular, but was carried.

The intention now is to meet next Wednesday night, when the new committeemen will have prepared a proposition of their own to submit to the old, embodying the concessions already made and giving an ultimatum on other important matters.

As it stands now, primaries are to be held in Vallejo on August 8th.

A matter which vexed some and scared others was frequently spoken of, and held over the meeting in the mythical shape of an axe. It was that if this committee did not come to some definite, harmonious conclusion, and call an election, that the State Central Executive Committee might instruct the various County Central Committees to issue the call after all.

As the matter stands, the committees are not only fighting each other, but among themselves, and the outcome will be interesting.

While this meeting was in progress it is said that members and interested friends of the old committee will assemble in the office of George De Golia, preparing plans and awaiting the verdict.

A FATAL RUNAWAY.

As a Result of the Accident J. J. Roberts Will Die.

A serious runaway took place this morning, which resulted in the demolition of a collector's wagon and will culminate in the death of J. J. Roberts, who was in the vehicle at the time.

Roberts was driving along East Twelfth street shortly before noon, when his horse took fright and became unmanageable. The vehicle was overturned at the corner of Twentieth avenue and East Twelfth street, where Roberts was thrown heavily to the pavement. He was rendered unconscious in an instant.

He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where Dr. Dunn pronounced the poor man's case hopeless, he also claiming that the base of the skull had been fractured.

Roberts is a man about 35 years of age, married and resides at 520 Thirty-first street. His wife was notified of the accident by telephone. Roberts was a collector in the employ of A. A. Baker & Co., manufacturers of picture frames, 772 and 774 Mission street, San Francisco.

Whidden Testifies.

Auditor Whidden was before the Grand Jury this morning, giving evidence in behalf of himself in the matter of the charges against him, which the Grand Jury has been inquiring into for some time past. It is believed that the fact of Mr. Whidden's appearance before the jury argues that the inquiry has almost reached the end.

The Smilie Case.

In Judge Ellsworth's court this morning the case of Smilie vs. the City of Oakland was continued until August 17th, to be set. This will put a hearing of the case off a long time. In the suit, the city is sued for the action of Mayor Davie, some months ago, attempting to open Harrison street to the water front through the property of the plaintiff.

NOTICE!

We are removing into the store next to our old location, where we are placing on the shelves one of the largest and most complete stock of shoes ever offered to the public. F. Senram & Co., 1008 Broadway, bet. 10th and 11th.

AUCTION SALE

Of Fine Parlor, Chamber and Dining Room Furniture, Carpets, Pictures, Etc., Friday, May 29th, at 10:30 O'clock A. M., at 576 Hobart St., Near Grove, by C. W. Kinsey.

Comprising elegant oak frame parlor suit of odd pieces, fancy rockers and reception chairs, parlor tables, desk, colored engravings, ornaments, chamber suits in oak and walnut, spring and hair mattresses, pillows and blankets, elegant oak side-board, extension table and dining chairs to match, iron beds, range with water-back, crockery and glassware, fine gas range with water-back, cost $35, kitchen tables and utensils, etc. Sale positive. Terms cash.

C. W. KINSEY, Auctioneer.
462-464 Thirteenth street.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Fine New and Second-Hand Furniture, Carpets, Ranges, Etc.,

"Modern" furniture bought or exchanged. Auction sales on premises. Call and see us. 462-464 Thirteenth street.

An extra choice lot of fruit, berries and vegetables, just what you want for Sunday's dinner, at Merriam & Co.'s, 1235 Broadway. Tel. 204.

Mother's Mush is a breakfast delight.

We make Saddles to order if desired, using best materials and finest workmanship. Prices from $12 to $30. Letters gladly answered.

FRANK C. HOWE,
Successor to Robt. J. Beeby
1064-1066 Broadway.
Tel. Black 1981.

Ho! For Sunset Park.

The SONS OF ST. GEORGE

Will Celebrate their Ninth Annual Picnic and Family Reunion

At the Beautiful SUNSET PARK in the Santa Cruz Mountains, on

SATURDAY, MAY 30.

English Sports, Races, Tug-of-War, Gate Prizes, Music by Fifth Regiment Band.

TICKETS, $1; CHILDREN, 50c.

LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF

Russet Shoes

JUST RECEIVED AT

G. C. HALLMEYER'S

24 San Pablo Ave.

Misses' Russet Shoes—sizes 11 to 2.....$1 50
Children's " " " 8½ to 11..... 1 25
Children's " " " 5 to 8..... 1 00

Large Photographs of interesting places mounted on Beveled Glass and hung with gilt chains, given away FREE.

Come and See.

A MIDDLE AGED French girl wishes a situation in a small family; is a good cook; wages moderate. Call at the French Bakery, corner Tenth and Webster sts.

TRIBUNE CLASSIFIED.

RATES FOR TRANSIENT CLASSIFIED
One cent per word for one inser ion
Two Cents per word for 3 insertions.
Two and one-half cents per word for 6 insertions
Rate per line, one month .....50 cents

SITUATIONS WANTED.
Half a Cent per word for one insertion.
One cent per word for three insertions.
Two Cents per word for 6 insertions.
Tribune Publishing Company
W. E DARGIE, President.
C A DOYLE Advertising Manager.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

PURE OLIVE OIL manufactured on the Thermal Ranch Sunol For sale by Levin Bros, Oakland and San Francisco

PRACTICAL CHRISTIANITY—If you are interested in Divine or Christian Science and would like to have meetings held in your neighborhood, please address C S, box 2, Tribune.

MEETING—Oakland Spiritual Convention, Hamilton Hall corner Thirteenth and Jefferson sts, Wednesday, May 27th, at 2 and 7 P M Lecture by Hon H. D Barrett of Washington, D C

RALSTON-KAFFEE is and is not coffee, Ralston-Kaffee has the aroma of coffee, Ralston-Kaffee is a nerve builder. Ralston Kaffee is a breakfast delight For information about Ralston-Kaffee address or call, Ralston-Kaffee Health Food Co, room 522, Central Bank bldg

MARKET Station Ice Cream Parlors, Home made candies; ice cream made and delivered, bouillon 10c, chocolate and cakes 10c; 906 Seventh st, Market street station.

I WILL NOT be responsible for any bills contracted by my children unless on written order from me Signed G H. Rowland 1569 Fifth st

MRS M A CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and pinking Lessons given in fancy work Stationery, calling cards Employment Office Agency United States Laundry. 1215 Broadway

NOTICE—To buyers of household goods Patronize the old reliable firm of H Schellhaas 408 Eleventh st You will find goods just as represented. Our motto "Do as you would be done by"

HAIR can be saved not grown gray falling scales itching cured Specialist 1019 Washington st

FOR A FACT—Our lease having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh st, by May 15th Household goods sacrificed at half price Now is your chance H Schellhaas 408 Eleventh st

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming shampooing Mme. Demorest's face powder Special price Thursday facial steaming 50c Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 411-412 Central Bank building Elevator

NOTICE the display of household goods at H Schellhaas' Store, 20 per cent cheaper than former prices If you are in want of a holiday present, see us at 408 Eleventh st

ATTORNEYS.

A. A MOORE JR—Attorney and counselor with Dist Att'y. Court House.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices' Court building, SE cor. Broadway and Eighth sts

GEORGE W LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal., practices in all courts.

BEN F WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and Notary Public 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law, office of Prosecuting Att'y, City Hall.

Z N GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

E. H SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st, Oakland, room 3, telephone No 38

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 861 Broadway

R M FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 854 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 1 Dist Atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Black Silk Belt, with silver buckle, monogram M C between Brush and Myrtle and Fifth and Sixth sts Return to 722 Sixth st and receive reward.

FOUND—A ladys gold watch The owner can have it by proving property and paying for this advertisement Call at 1674 Pacific st, between Willow and Campbell, West Oakland

LEFT on 2 30 train from San Francisco, three small bags made of fish netting. Liberal reward if returned to 470 Tenth street

LOST—A gold watch last Wednesday in the neighborhood of Fifth and Lewis, flowered case with a black ribbon attached Return same to 325 Eleventh and receive a liberal reward.

LOST—Saturday morning, a package of green and white ribbon, between Jackson Durant Frederick and San Pablo avenue Finder please leave at 1339 Jackson st Oakland

LOST—Small round brown purse Thursday, May 15th containing $15 in gold, silver and stamps lost in the vicinity of Thirteenth and Fifteenth sts, between Alice and Broadway Call for reward at M S Smith & Sons, 1154-58 Broadway

$5 for information or return of red Irish setter female, 5 months old, small white star on breast 1009 Broadway

LOST—At Market St Station, Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, a black ostrich feather boa Liberal reward will be given if left at Market St Drug Store

LOST—On Sunday last, cork elm cane, silver handle, snake wound "E. E. W" and "1891" engraved on handle Return to 1365 Eleventh avenue, East Oakland, and receive $2 50 reward.

MUSICAL.

A TEACHER of violin wishes a room in private family in exchange for lessons. Address C F. W, 1205 Ninth st., Alameda.

BALDWIN & DURANT, banjo, mandolin and guitar. 4 lessons, 1 per week, $4; 8 lessons, 2 per week, $6; instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Studio. 1003½ Broadway, room 13.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four good Brussels carpets. Inquire at 920 Brush st.

FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents, come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE

WANTED—Engagements by the day at dressmaking, $1.50 a day, suits made at home $5 to $7 Call at 533 Seventeenth st. Mrs I Kagy.

A YOUNG LADY wishes a position as companion for lady, good references given A B C, box 2

SITUATION WANTED by a young French lady to do housework, to take care of children wages reasonable, references 862 Franklin st. Call between 9 A M and 1 P. M.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family, must be good plain cook, references, wages $20. Apply 1273 Sixth ave, East Oakland

WANTED—Young woman to care for baby. Apply at 810 Twenty-eighth st., bet. 9 A M and 2 P M

WANTED—Scandinavian and German girls for general housework, etc wages $15 to $25 Also good position awaiting competent cook wages $30. Apply Mrs Marvin's, 1153 Washington st., telephone red 20 4

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—At 921 Broadway, room 10 immediately, 20 men, also 15 girls for housework

WANTED—Men in every county to act as private detectives under instruction Experience unnecessary Address Co-operative Detective Agency, Nashville, Tenn

WANTED—Boy to do office work Apply at 908 Broadway Reference letters required

WANTED—A boy for grocery and to attend to horse Apply 1020 Third st R Rademann

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED—Men and women to work at home I pay $8 to $16 per week for making crayon portraits, new patented method, anyone who can read and write can do the work at home, in spare time, day or evening send for particulars and begin work at once Address H. A. Grip German Artist, Tyrone, Pa.

AGENTS—Here is a machine that prints signs in three colors on fences, bridges sidewalks, any rough surface Sell one in every store Arc Co., Racine, Wis

AGENTS WANTED for the X Ray Pipe Cleaner, absolutely new, only device ever made to clean straight and curved stems simple effective, easily cleaned send 10 cents for sample and terms. Box 906, Philadelphia Pa.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

MISS. CATTELL—625 8th st.; German Scandinavian and all nations, male or female referenced cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc, awaiting work Telephone 548.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

THOROUGHBRED MALTESE CATS for sale reasonable. Apply at 924 Filbert st.

FIRST CLASS Second Hand Washington Hand Press also Eighth Medium Universal, thoroughly overhauled, cheap Address A B C, Tribune office.

I HAVE a first class safe, double doors and four tumbler lock, that I will trade for groceries Call at 475 Eleventh st

FOR SALE—Due bill for lumber at the Oakland Lumber Company's yard, free delivery in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda value $500 make me a cash offer Jules Heugen, 624 Twelfth street, Oakland, Cal

SECOND HAND Gas or Gasoline Engines, various sizes, guaranteed perfect order bargain Address W, Tribune office, Oakland

WILL MEAN BUSINESS—Our lease having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh st, by May 15th. Household goods sacrificed at half price Now is your chance. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

OAK BOOK CASES—From $7 up, see the display of household goods at remarkably low prices at H Schellhaas. We are bound to reduce our enormous stock within the next few weeks. Bed lounges, all new, from $6 up. Crockery, glassware, stoves, from $6 up 408 Eleventh st

FOR SALE—At reduced rates, lamps of all descriptions and styles, oil stoves, 75 cents up, have you seen our 50 cent lamp and heater combined? Just the thing for a sick room H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

HOTELS.

THE BRUNSWICK HOTEL, cor. Ninth and Washington sts has 60 nice large sunny rooms, all facing on the two sts, has just changed hands and all the rooms newly painted and papered prices very moderate, a few nice suits to rent with or without board the dining room is run by Madam P Kientzeu and daughters clean nice home cooking, only $3 50 per week, 20c single meals, a challenge to all in town for the best meal for 20c. Mrs. M. Lamb, Brunswick Hotel.

MEDICAL.

MRS DR. PARLOW, the most skilled chiropodist in San Francisco, is located at room 6, Hotel St. Nicholas, corner Market and Hayes sts. Reception hours, 1 to 5.30 P M.

A BLESSING to ladies suffering from irregularities and diseases peculiar to their sex, latest improved method of treatment, never fails, perfectly harmless free from any bad effects, never makes them sick to make them well, travelers helped immediately, prices to suit the times, home in confinement. Dr. and Mrs Davies, 14 McAllister st, next Hibernia Bank, consult free. French regulating pink pills, $2

DRS C C. & G. W. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 704 Washington st., near Kearney, and 765 Market st., San Francisco, office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., and 7 to 8 P M; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit; mortgages bought and sold, prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. F. McDonald & Co., 468 9th st., Oakland.

WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN on improved real estate at current rates of interest, usual current expenses. Hugh M Cameron, broker, 479 Ninth st., Oakland.

WE ARE PREPARED to make small loans on improved property in North Oakland only, at eight per cent per annum, and larger loans on centrally located property at seven and one-half per cent. Hugh M Cameron, Real Estate and Loan Broker, 479 Ninth st.

WE HAVE $1200 to loan on first class improved property at 8 per cent interest, and another sum of $1200 as a whole or in part on inside improved property at 8 per cent, larger amounts on approved security at lower rates. We can arrange loans on short notice and the current expenses will be as low as the lowest. Call or write to Hugh M. Cameron, Real Estate and Loan Broker, 479 Ninth st., Oakland.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 325 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos, guns

Oakland Bicycle Dealers.

ADLAKE and HUMBER Bicycles. Hoag & Ferguson, 300 San Pablo avenue, cor Seventeenth.

BEAUTIFUL BARNES. Starratt Bros, Agents, 422 Twelfth street, Oakland.

HALLADAY AND WOLFF wheels. Barrett and Dyer, 516 Twelfth street.

M'CUNE Bicycles. A. and M. Schleuter, Agents, 9th and Washington.

LINDSAY $60 Special, a select mount. F. J Arnold, 522 Telegraph avenue.

RAMBLER BICYCLE for sale and rent. Geo A. Faulkner, cor. 12th and Webster streets.

SPALDING, Columbus, Ohio, Credenda, Bicycles. New wheels to rent. 362 12th street

STERLING Ed. P Baggot MUNGER 904 Br dway PREMIER Renting

SYRACUSE BICYCLES—The famous crimson rims Renting and repairing Steve Rice, 107 San Pablo ave.

COLUMBIA AGENCY—Wm. Clark, 102 Telegraph ave, next to Postoffice, sundries, repairing.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

GENTLEMEN—Nicely furnished sunny alcove suite, with washing and mending $10, board optional; also cheaper room 940 Filbert street.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms with bath, hot and cold water, gas Call 325 Ninth st, near narrow gauge depot

THREE FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping, one single room, low rent 618 Ninth st

FURNISHED ROOM and Board for two gentlemen, $18 50 and $20 month, also two lovely sunny suites, cheap, looking over the bay. Brunswick Hotel, cor. Ninth and Washington sts.

FURNISHED ROOMS to rent cheap, all conveniences for housekeeping; central, near Broad and Narrow Gauge. 421 Sixth street

FLATS TO RENT.

FLAT of four rooms to rent, 618 Sixteenth st, rent $15, inquire 616 Sixteenth.

TO LET—At 671 Tenth street, flat of four sunny rooms for housekeeping; rent $10

HOUSES TO RENT.

FOR RENT—A two-story house of six large rooms and yard on Seventh street, near Washington rent $15 Enquire at P J Keller's Floral Store, 512 Seventh street

BARN TO LET—Suitable for shop or stable 910 Webster st. Apply next door.

ROOMS AND BOARDING

TO LET—In private family, large room with board, for two man and wife preferred, prices reasonable, fine location, very best of meals 753 Eighth st.

BOARD AND ROOMS—Pleasant rooms, with good board, best location in Oakland 1168 Jackson st.

ROOMS AND BOARDING WANTED

WANTED—A home for two children or a lady to take care of small house of three rooms and two children good home for an old lady. Apply Thalia, San Leandro Road.

HALLS TO LET.

I. O. O. F. HALL, corner Eleventh and Franklin, recently renovated and decorated, for rent afternoons and evenings. Apply from 2 to 5 P M.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR RENT—Newly papered Queen Anne cottage, six rooms, with large flower garden, at 1033 Magnolia st rent $22 50, also two-story eight-room house, 1055 Union st, corner Thirtieth st., rent $9. See owner, 1021 Magnolia st.

FIVE ROOM COTTAGE at Oak street station rent cheap. 123 Seventh, inquire next door

FOR PROMPT RETURNS list your property for sale, rent or exchange, with E. Hill, real estate agent, 34 Donohue bldg, San Francisco.

A BARGAIN—Cottage of 4 rooms, lot 25x80 ft situated on Grove st, near 5th. Price $900. W P Ryan 960 Seventh st.

HOUSES built, easy terms, best locations. Alden & Kronenberg, 902 Brdwy.

STORES TO LET.

TO RENT—Store 20x90 on sunny side of Clay, between Tenth and Eleventh, suitable for grocery or general merchandise. Rent $15 per month Apply to N. W. Winton, No. 958 Broadway, bet. Ninth and Tenth, Oakland

TO LET—Nice store, with three living rooms and stable, with large yard, rent $15 28th st. and San Pablo ave.

DESK ROOM, Stores and Houses to let, rent reasonable. Apply 1116 Broadway

STORES TO LET—An old established grocery store, just vacated, 1253 and 1257 Broadway, single or double as required, plate glass fronts rent low. Apply E. A Bushell, 1255 Broadway.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MADAME PARIS, Clairvoyant, has returned to Oakland and is now located at the Oregon House, 1156 Broadway, rooms 38 and 39, hours, 10 A. M. to 8 P. M Ladies, 50 cts gents, $1.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant, born with a veil a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble, not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans, fees reasonable, advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 515 8th st.

CITY REAL ESTATE UNIMPROVED

FRUITVALE Terminal Tract—Lots $150, $5 cash, $5 per month, superb location. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station The McCarthy Co., 646 Market st., San Francisco.

FOR SALE—At Fruitvale, 3 acres of land in fruit trees, with a five room house, etc Living spring of water Price $2500 For more particulars apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 East Twelfth st., East Oakland.

DENTISTS.

G. L. SCHMIDT, Dentist, assisted by Dr. S. E. Hornef, specialist in crown and bridge work Teeth without plates Gold and porcelain crowns. Painless extraction and filling Converse in German, French and Italian. Removed from 1115 Broadway to 1014 Broadway, Evarts building, second floor.

J. M. DUNN, D. D S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER Depot, C H. Kucks, proprietor, 468 Twelfth st., Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

PIANO TUNERS.

R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland, repairing a specialty. 1059 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

OCULISTS.

OCULIST—Dr. Kohlmoos, Central Bank Building, corner Fourteenth and Broadway, rooms 420-422; hours, 9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 P. M.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary Public, real estate, houses rented. 472 Tenth st.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Good Jersey heifer calves, 4 or 5 months old. Address 461 Eighth st., Oakland

REAL ESTATE.

LINDA VISTA TERRACE

CHOICE RESIDENCE LOTS IN THIS SIGHTLY AND ELIGIBLE LOCATION AT VERY MODERATE PRICES

LINDA VISTA TERRACE HAS EVERYTHING TO RECOMMEND IT AS THE MOST DESIRABLE OF RESIDENCE LOCALITIES—HIGH, SIGHTLY LOTS, PERFECT SANITATION, A DRY, HEALTHFUL ATMOSPHERE; RAPID AND FREQUENT ELECTRIC STREET CAR SERVICE, CLOSE PROXIMITY TO TOWN—ONLY 8½ MINUTES TO FOURTEENTH AND BROADWAY—FINE SURROUNDINGS AND WELL ESTABLISHED VALUES. IN ORDER TO PUSH TO COMPLETION THIS SEASON THE WORK OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, A FEW LOTS WILL BE OFFERED AT SPECIAL PRICES. NO CHOICER HOME SITE CAN BE SECURED IN OAKLAND, AND NO BETTER OPPORTUNITY THAN THE PRESENT WILL BE FOUND TO PURCHASE.

FOR MAPS, PRICES AND PARTICULARS OF

LINDA VISTA TERRACE

APPLY TO

HERON & HOLCOMB,

1050 BROADWAY, OAKLAND.

COR. ELEVENTH ST.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

C. K. MARSHALL—1118 Broadway, notary public and general real estate. House renting a specialty.

GEO. B. M GRAY—Real estate broker, houses rented and built. 463 9th st.; telephone No. 224.

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 9th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent. 467 9th st.

W. L PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public, money to loan. 958 Broadway, bet. 9th and 10th sts

$3500—Business investment, store and flat; very close in, on San Pablo ave., best evidence of value is never vacant, present rents, $360 per year. Laymance & Co, 466 Eighth st.

$15,000—One of the most desirable suburban ranches in the county, fronts electric road, the main thoroughfare, part in fruit, balance tillable soil, property is beautiful, having a natural elevation affording a grand view, has substantial improvements, modern two story eight room house, stables, also living stream of water, this is a $25,000 property, owner selling on account of going East. Laymance & Co, 466 Eighth st.

$3100—Two story flats, income $30 per month, choice central location; two blocks of Ninth and Clay, one-third cash. Laymance & Co, 466 Eighth st.

$8000—Exceptional location for a home; Harrison st, residence of eight rooms and bath, interior in nice order, hot air furnace; lot 52x150, flat mortgage of $5000, can remain, will exchange equity for good clear property or sell for cash at a sacrifice Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$2000—Loan of $2600 just placed, new two story residence, eight rooms, porcelain bath, basement and tubs, gas fixtures, shades and mantles, never occupied, lot 36x100 see this bargain, only $400 cash, five minutes' walk of the center of the city. Laymance & Co, 466 Eighth st.

$1250—Store with four rooms in rear and stable, lot 25x100; in two blocks of Twenty-seventh and San Pablo ave, once refused $2000, will borrow enough to make terms easy. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth street.

$2500—Bargain; modern cottage of five rooms and bath, 33 feet of land; flat mortgage, $1600 can remain location within five blocks of Fourteenth and Franklin st. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth street.

2500—Two story residence of eight rooms and bath, Peralta st, near Eighth, fronts two streets, lot 45 feet frontage; reduced from $4500, property rents $25. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

2500—$250 cash and easy payments; modern cottage of six rooms and bath, near Twenty-second and Grove st; lot 40x112. Laymance & Co, 466 Eighth st.

$17,500—One of the most desirably situated residence and grounds, and opposite the handsomest improvements in Fruitvale; reduced from $25,000 to close up estate; any one wanting a twelve room residence, large fine grounds, should fully investigate the above is going to be sold at a bargain. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$1250—Here you are; just finished, and on easy terms to good party, new two story residence of rooms and bath, within walking distance of Fourteenth and Broadway; special arrangements will be made if sold before the 1st, investigate this proposition. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$1300—Building containing six rooms and bath, lot 25x70; one block of Oak street station; owner will take lease at $15 per month; this is cheap. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$ 0,000—For four acres and eight room residence, without doubt one of the most desirable properties in the suburban parts of this city, convenient to Telegraph ave, car line; large frontage; barn, tank-house, gas machine, pumping machine; plenty of fruit and unequaled quantity of choice shrubberies and plants with years of growth; this property absolutely must be sold to save foreclosure of a $6000 indebtedness, which gives some idea of its real value. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

N. B.—The properties above are choice holdings, and many of them absolutely must be sold. Will be pleased to give full information regarding them. If they are not just what you want, ask or write for a list of other properties that we have not space here to mention. Laymance & Co., Real Estate, 466 Eighth st., Oakland.

REAL ESTATE.

AN ELEGANTLY furnished house with attractive grounds, centrally located, will be rented to acceptable parties for six weeks from June 1st during absence of owner, for $40.

FOR SALE—At large sacrifice, some of the choicest residences in Oakland and suburbs.

WE HAVE a few thousand dollars to loan out on good security at 9 per cent.

WE HAVE some customers for centrally located property at moderate prices, on installment payments

IF YOU have houses to rent, especially cottages, leave the keys with us and we may find you tenants
W. E. BARNARD & SON, 458 Ninth Street.

PROMINENT FIRMS
In Alameda County.

EAST OAKLAND

DRUGGISTS.

MELVIN & CO—Corner Sixth ave. and East Twelfth st, prescriptions carefully compounded. Tel. main 486.

WENTWORTH, C. O—Apothecary; full stock of fresh patent medicines and sundries Thirteenth ave. and East Fourteenth st Tel main 783.

DENTISTS.

ALLEN, REGINALD H., D. D. S—651 East Fourteenth; hrs, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

GROCERIES.

CRAFT & RUSSELL—Grocers, buy at home and save money. 552-554 East Twelfth, cor. Eleventh ave. Tel. 1011 main.

SMALLMAN & CUMMING—Choice groceries and provisions fine stock; free delivery Nos. 551 to 555 East Twelfth st.

MARKET STREET

BAZAARS

GORDAN'S BAZAR—R. Gordan, prop, fancy goods, hosiery stationery, toys, furnishing goods 918 Seventh.

TWENTY-THIRD AVE.

DRUGGISTS.

CRAGIN'S PHARMACY—1154 East Fourteenth, cut rates our motto, Sarsaparilla 65c, Syrup Figs 25c, Castoria 25c, Porous Plasters 10c.

$1750—Beautiful lot 50x132½, situate on Union street near Central avenue, Alameda, in choice residence section; a bargain, William J Dingee real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1250 will buy a fine building, lot 50x150, situate on San Antonio avenue near Walnut street, Alameda, William J Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1200—A nice five room cottage, bay window, flower garden, chicken houses, etc, situate on Hannah street, sunny exposure, lot 50 foot frontage William J Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$150 cash and $30 per month, including interest, will buy a new modern house, containing seven rooms and bath, situate on Central avenue, Alameda, in a choice residence section, lot 30x125, William J Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland Cal.

$2000—Story and a half modern cottage, situate in Alameda, on sunny side of Clinton avenue near Park street, contains six rooms and bath, lot 36x100 will exchange for Oakland property and assume mortgage, William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$2000—Nice modern cottage of five rooms and bath, situate in Berkeley, on Channing way, near Shattuck avenue, lot 50x135 William J Dingee, real estate agent, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1500—Great bargain for immediate sale; 180x100, situate on East Twenty-fourth street near Eleventh avenue, East Oakland, William J Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$4650—Good modern two story house of eight rooms and bath, situate on Grove street, near Fifteenth street, lot 47½x80, a bargain, $1000 cash, balance to suit William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

W. P. RYAN,

REAL ESTATE. NOTARY PUBLIC.

960 SEVENTH ST. TEL. RED 1993.

$3500—Must be sold before 25th of this month, as owner is going East, a new 2-story house of 7 rooms and bath, brick foundation, lot 28x132, situated only one block from Adeline station, north of Seventh st.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central block, 1068 Broadway, Oakland.

J. MAHER, M. D.—Physician and surgeon 1068 Broadway; hours 2 to 3:30, 7 to 8.

A BICYCLE CURE.

The following letter is self explanatory: "Gents: I was afflicted with laziness. Was so tired all the time I couldn't undertake to rest, for the effort it required. One bed or chair did me no good. I needed several at once. I ate nothing but easy victuals; breathed only half enough air, because it exhausted me. Finally my wife got me a wheel. The first night I split wood for her and now feel like a new man. J. S. Q."—Wheel Talk. P. S. Lindsay Gold Crown Specials are standard for style strength and service and don't cost you a small fortune either; $35.00 to $60.00 buys one. See them at 522 Telegraph avenue.

ALAMEDA AFFAIRS.

The Floral Fete Starts Up in an Elaborate Manner.

MANY MAGNIFICENT BOOTHS.

Excellent Entertainments to Be Given the Visitors.

AN OPEN AIR PRODUCTION.

Skilled Amateurs to Take Part in the Social Event.

The beautiful grounds of Captain R. R. Thompson on High street were opened to the public this morning and Alameda's Floral Fete commenced The grounds present an exquisitely beautiful scene Floral bowers are scattered here and there and are so arranged and decorated that they appear like the home of Flora, the goddess of flowers more than like anything intended for human inhabitants. Inside the floral booths beautiful women, in airy summer gowns, offer for sale tempting wares The air is heavy with the perfume of flowers Each stand is decorated with one kind of flower as a mark of distinction

The principal booths, and the flower by which they may be known, are.

Eschscholtzia — Methodist; director, W T Pollard

Sweet peas—Unitarian; director, Mrs. R Frank Clark

Marguerite—Congregational; director Mrs M Ward.

Roses—Presbyterian, director, Mrs. Barton.

Pink and white geranium—Baptist; director, Mrs. Woods

Ivy booth—A collection of curios and bizarre work of native Californians; director, Mrs A. Sutter, assisted by Miss Parlser and Miss McCue.

Arabian booth—Catholic; director, Mrs Rossiter.

Gypsy tent, Oriental interior—Miss Hopkins, well known as a fortune teller in local entertainments, will appear in costume

The ladies served a dainty luncheon at noon today on tables prettily decorated with blossoms. The Presidio Band, under direction of Henri Fairweather renders music during the day and evening

The fete today has drawn a crowd of the most fashionable society people of Alameda, Oakland and San Francisco, and this evening there will probably be a larger attendance than before.

This evening there will be a gorgeously illuminated lantern bicycle parade, which will form at the junction of Central and Alameda avenues, at Benton street at 8 o'clock and parade to the fete grounds. It is expected that the Acme and Reliance Clubs of this city, the Diamond Cycling Club of Alameda and the Olympic, Imperial, Bay City, Liberty and California Clubs of San Francisco will take part.

At the fete grounds there will be an open air concert of nations by a chorus of sixty voices under the direction of Henri Fairweather

Tomorrow there will be an elaborate programme The ladies will serve a festival mid-day picnic lunch. There will be a promenade concert by the Presidio Band, a Maypole dance a boys' bicycle parade and races.

"As You Like It" will be presented in the evening in the open air under the electric light, as the moon will be too late in rising The performance will probably be an ideal one as the actors and actresses are young, graceful and clever, and have been carefully trained in their parts by Mrs Melville Snyder.

The famous Knickerbocker Quartette will sing the incidental music. The presentation of the play will be a fitting climax to a fete of wondrous beauty and splendor.

The cast of characters for "As You Like It" is as follows:

The Duke (living in exile), Mr George H Murdock; Duke Frederick (his brother and usurper of his dominions), Dr J. J. Medros Jaques, Mr Frederick Maurer; Le Beau (a courtier attending upon Frederick), Mr Louis Butler Charles (wrestler to Frederick), Mr J Kitchen; sons of Sir Roland de Bois—Oliver, Mr H B Phillips; Jacques de Bois, Dr J J Medros; Orlando, Mr Abe P. Leach; Adam Mr. I P Allen; Touchstone (a clown), Mr Philip C. Dibert Corin, Mr Louis Butler, Sylvius, Mr. E C McManus William (a country fellow in love with Audrey) Mr George Godfrey; Rosalind (daughter of the banished Duke), Miss George Elliot, Celia (daughter of Frederick), Miss Minna Terry, Phebe (a shepherdess), Mrs Frederick Maurer; Audrey (a country wench), Miss Maud Russell.

A Bracing, Cool Drink

Of Fredericksburg Bottled Lager or John Wieland's Extra Pale is the best tonic. Order of your dealer. If he does not keep them, telephone us, and we will deliver them to your residence regularly. Deliveries all over the county Oakland Bottling Company, telephone 222, 1417-1421 Broadway.

Do You Want

Carpenter work of any kind done? Want a fence built? Want a room partitioned? Want your house rebuilt? Want any carpenter work done? Then go to F. G. Jones, 1113 Webster street. He does the promptest work in Oakland; does it well; does it cheaply.

The "Delmonico."

The "Delmonico," the largest and finest restaurant in Oakland, is open to the public. Separate dining hall for families. Private rooms for ladies and their escorts. First class French dinner Meals on the American plan or a la carte. Oysters a specialty. Service and cuisine perfect. Banquets and catering for all occasions. Catusich & Anderson, 475-477 Seventh street, between Washington and Broadway.

Are You Ever Downright Hungry?

For a piece of pure old fashioned molasses candy, or a dainty confection? Try Lehnhardt, he has the right kind. 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth.

Good butter is cheap now. We sell the best. Our milk and cream are the purest. We deliver and call for orders. Our telephone is 264. Jersey Milk, Cream and Butter Co., 1253 Broadway, between Fourteenth and Sixteenth.

The Redwood Carpenter makes fences strong. Go to 410 Ninth and you won't go wrong.

Note these prices: Splendid walnut bedroom set, cost $200, for $30, bookcase, cost $16, for $8, chairs, 25c up; beds from $1.50; bureaus, $3.50. Hunter & Co., 562 Market street, Oakland.

"My Cake is Dough."
Did not use Sperry's Flour.

Best whiskey for medicinal purposes at Bouquet Bros., Galindo Hotel bar.

Above all others, Sperry Family Flour.

Oakland Tribune

PUBLISHED DAILY (Sunday excepted)

413, 415 and 417 EIGHTH STREET

—by the—

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING COMPANY.

WILLIAM E. DARGIE, President.

Delivered by Carrier,

AT FIFTY CENTS PER MONTH.

OUR EASTERN OFFICE.

The Eastern office of The Tribune is located at 230 Temple Court Building, New York City. Complete files of The Tribune may be found there. Visitors always welcome.

E. KATZ, Manager.

AMUSEMENTS.

Oakland—"Tina."
Orpheum—Specialties.
Baldwin—"A Midsummer Night's Dream
Morosco's—"Metamora."
Tivoli Opera House—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Alcazar—"Little Lord Fauntleroy."
Bay District Track—Races today.

PICNICS AT SHELLMOUND PARK.
May 30—Caledonian Club.
May 31—United Lodges Order of Red Men.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. MAY 29, 1896.

Northern California: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday; colder tonight in northern half of the Sacramento Valley; light northerly winds inland; westerly winds on the coast increasing in force. Fog generally along the coast.

Southern California: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday; light northwesterly winds. Fogs on the coast.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday; fresh westerly winds increasing in force in the afternoon. Fog Friday morning.

ALEXANDER G. McADIE,
Local Forecast Official.

THURSDAY.....MAY 28, 1896.

The Record of Crime.

The diabolical crime of Blanther was not out of mind before another has been recorded more horrible that the other. James Dunham of Santa Clara County, killed a family of six persons including his own wife, yesterday. Either the man was insane, or he is a demon. He had evidently made preparations for his work, and had provided the means of temporary escape. But insane persons are sometimes cunning in their methods. One can hardly conceive how any sane man could commit such a series of murders without any apparent motive. If the man was actually insane to the extent that he could not distinguish right from wrong, then no crime was committed. But if there was so much sanity that he was conscious of wrong doing, then the crime of this man exceeds in the depth of its infamy any that has been committed in this part of the world for many a day. It is at least a charitable hope that the man was insane.

Could Not See It in That Light.

As was expected, it was not all a matter of course that the First Congregational Church edifice of San Francisco could be sold at the instance of the followers of Brown. Judge Slack before whom the petition for sale was pending, was a little too near the scene of the controversy, and so he called Judge Angelotti of Marin County to hear the case. One member opposed to the sale, said he did not think a $150,000 church should be sold to get rid of a $5000 debt. He believed the church should stay with the masses.

Thomas Magee, the rich real estate dealer, who was interested in the sale of the property, said that the land was worth $125,000 without the building, but admitted that the best offer he had received was $90,000. The proposition in effect is to extinguish the entire value of a hundred thousand dollar church edifice. Judge Angelotti could not see the case in that light, and promptly dismissed the petition to the discomfiture of the Brownites, who will probably renew the assault in some other form.

At Stanford University.

There were graduated yesterday at this institution one of the largest classes that had ever gone out from any college or university on this side of the country. The list of post graduates was also large. At Stanford and at Berkeley, the list of students who remain for post graduate work seems to be rapidly increasing. More students are drawn to Palo Alto from remote parts of the country than are drawn to the State University. Students are not encouraged to seek this institution from outside States, because the educational advantages are specially designed for students of California, and these are pressing for more accommodations than can be furnished at present.

The State cannot undertake to extend its educational advantages all over the Union. The Stanford University is on a different foundation. It can open its doors freely to young men and women from all parts of the country. Many of them leave other institutions and spend a year or two at Palo Alto. The list of graduates in this way is greatly increased. But they all properly count for the reputation of an institution which in its infancy can thus draw students from all parts of the Union.

A Series of Great Disasters.

The greatest of the series of disasters that has occurred during the last few months was that of the cyclone in St. Louis yesterday. It may be that the report of the loss of human life is somewhat exaggerated. But if instead of a thousand lives as first reported, only a hundred lives have been lost, it would still be the great disaster of the year. It is probable also that many other towns and villages were in the path of the cyclone, and that the record of losses will be greatly extended.

The fact that a section of the great bridge crossing the Mississippi at St. Louis was destroyed, illustrates the awful force of the cyclone. St. Louis is not a ruined city. The damages so far as they relate to structure will soon be repaired. The stricken city will have the sympathy of the whole country. No other elemental disaster, so far as the record goes, has exceeded this. The cyclone that struck Louisville was less destructive, and the earthquake that shattered so many buildings in Charleston was less fatal to human life. It is a comparatively unimportant circumstance that the roof of the new building in process of construction for the National Republican Convention was blown off. There are still two weeks or more before that convention meets. It is not probable that there will be any change made in the place of meeting, although circumstances now unknown might require some change to be made.

Great disasters come now in rapid succession. The cyclone ravaged some of the fairest towns and villages in Texas, and the record of the loss of human life had hardly been completed when another cyclone ravaged parts of Kansas and greatly lengthened the fatal list. Then there was the falling of a rotten bridge at Victoria; a disaster that could have been prevented if reasonable precautions had been taken. The smaller casualties which are only small relatively to the greater ones, are now of almost daily occurances. While the century seems to be closing without any great wars, the list of human casualties in these last days is almost as great as if we were living amid the tumult and destructive forces of war.

A Question Propounded by The Bee.

The Sacramento Bee is not quite satisfied with the correction which the Tribune made touching its statements about the denominational invasion of the University; and propounds this question: "But is it not a fact, gentleman of the Tribune, that the Christian Church is to be permitted to use accommodations within the University grounds and in a University building, too, until such time as it can erect its own structure?" No, to the best of our knowledge it is not a fact. The statement made in some report was so papably incorrect that it did not seem to need any notice.

There is not a Regent in the Board who would vote to make any such unlawful concession. There are several fraternity houses outside of the grounds which are not owned by the University, and over which that institution has no control. It is possible that one of these might be occupied for a short time for denominational purposes, although we have no knowledge of any such arrangement. Even if it were made there would be no trenching upon the University. It owns no property in Berkeley outside of its own institutional grounds. This line of demarcation ought to be clearly understood. The Bee is assured that the Tribune would be the first to raise a warning note if the case were otherwise than as here represented.

TWO BANKRUPTCY BILLS.

Senator Perkins Sends a Letter to the Board of Trade.

The Matter Will Not Be Disposed of During This Session.

The following letter was received today:

UNITED STATES SENATE,
Washington, D. C., May 18, 1896.

M. J. Keller, Esq., H. O. Trowbridge, Esq., Oakland Board of Trade, Oakland, Cal:—

Gentlemen: Your letter of May 11th was received yesterday. There are two bankruptcy bills before Congress at present, one introduced in the Senate and the other in the House, but practically the same measure. The debate on the House bill has been very long and very exhaustive, and the Senate bill will consume fully as much time in debating it. Owing to the short time that remains before adjournment it is not likely that the matter will be finally disposed of by the present session.

The importance and necessity for legislation of this kind is recognized, and the measure proposed will receive most careful attention by me. I have not yet had time, owing to the press of other important business, to study the measures presented so as to be able to form an opinion as to their merits. But in so doing I will bear in mind the wishes of your Board and the facts that have been set forth in the letter. I remain very truly yours.

GEORGE C. PERKINS.

Lutheran Lectures.

At the Men's Luther League social held at the English Lutheran Church last evening, seven distinct languages were used to illustrate the polyglot of international relations of the church. The meeting was gracefully conducted by the League President, Mr. A. E. Fox, assisted by H. Rief, the Secretary. The chief address was made by Mrs. Nico Beck-Meyer, a distinguished Lutheran lady of Copenhagen, Denmark, who recently delivered a course of lectures on Scandinavian literature at Stanford University. This honored lady, who represented the three kingdoms of Denmark, Norway and Sweden at the Lutheran Women's International Congress in Chicago, will deliver an address for the enjoyment of the general public at the Lutheran Church, corner Grove and Sixteenth streets, Sunday, June 7th.

Off to Japan.

The Lick Observatory eclipse expedition leaves this afternoon on the steamer Belgic for Japan. The party consists of J. M. Schaeberle, senior astronomer at the Lick Observatory; Professor Charles Burckhalter, astronomer of the Chabot Observatory; Louis C. Masten of San Francisco and Dr. A. G. Shuey of this city. The party will view the eclipse from some point inland from Kushiro, on the island of Yezo, the exact location to be decided upon later. All the members of the expedition are members of the Astronomers' Society of the Pacific.

Broke His Arm.

John Sousa, a boy residing at 598 Third street, broke his arm yesterday evening while exercising on parallel bars at the Harrison School. The injured member was set at the Receiving Hospital.

Telling Time by the Sun.

"Plenty of people can tell time by the sun," said one of the Ogallala Indian chiefs now here on departmental business, "but even our boys and girls can tell the time by the stars. You have to stand in a particular place, and to be accurate about the same place each night. In a little time any one can learn about how fast a star moves. Having a start from a watch, clock, or from sundown, it is easy enough to calculate the time all during the night. Of course it won't work on cloudy nights, as the sunshine telling does not work during cloudy days, but for all ordinary occasions it is rarely that an Indian ever looks at a watch or clock, even if he has one, which is very seldom, and the Indian children never.—Washington Star.

ABLE MANAGEMENT.

Complete Arrangements for the Memorial Day Exercises.

AN IMPOSING PROCESSION.

A Down-Town Parade Here Proceeding to the Cemetery.

THE GRAVESIDE CEREMONIES.

An Enormous Crowd Will Throng to Mountain View.

The following order has been issued in connection with the Memorial Day parade:

Headquarters Grand Marshal's Office
Oakland, Cal., May 27, 896.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1.

1. The several organizations that are to participate in the parade and Memorial exercises on Memorial Day, May 30, 1896, are ordered to assemble at the following places and to report promptly at 9:30 o'clock A. M. to the commanders of their respective divisions:

The following aids are hereby appointed and will report to the Grand Marshal at the corner of Third and Broadway promptly at 9 o'clock A. M.:

Charles E. Lancaster, chief of staff; W. R. Thomas, commanding first division; Frank W. Cushing, commanding second division.

Aids—Colonel J. P. Abbott, George H. Collins, S. S. Pettit, F. M. Farwell, J. S. White.

The chief of staff, division commanders and aids will report, mounted, to the Grand Marshal at the corner of Third and Broadway at 9 o'clock A. M.

The commanders of divisions will wear the G. A. R. regulation hat, sword and belt and red sash.

The aids, G. A. R. regulation hat and blue sash.

FORMATION OF PARADE.

Platoon of police will report to C. E. Lancaster, chief of staff, at 9:30 A. M. at the corner of Third and Broadway.

First division, W. R. Thomas commanding, composed of three companies of the National Guards of California.

The various posts of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The Sons of Veterans.

The carriages containing the Mayor and invited guests, will form on Third street in the following order promptly at 9:30 A. M.:

The National Guards on Third street, west of Broadway, with their right resting on Broadway.

The Posts of the Grand Army of the Republic will form on Third street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on Broadway.

The Sons of Veterans will form on Third street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on the Grand Army of the Republic.

The carriages will form on Broadway immediately south of Third street.

Second division, Frank W. Cushing commanding, composed of the Second Regiment Boys' Brigade.

Clan McDonald No. 79, Order of Scottish Clans.

General George A. Custer Council No. 22, Junior Order United American Mechanics.

Patriarch Militant, uniformed rank, I. O. O. F.

The Second Regiment Boys' Brigade will form on Fourth street, west of Broadway, with their right resting on Broadway.

Clan McDonald No. 79 will form on Fourth street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on Broadway.

The Patriarch Militant will form on Fourth street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on Clan McDonald.

Junior Order of the United American Mechanics will form on Fourth street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on Patriarch Militant.

ORDER OF PARADE.

Chief of Police C. E. Lloyd commanding advance guard of police.
Grand Marshal and Staff.
Commander of first division, Captain W. R. Thomas, and staff.
Fifth Regiment Band.
Second Battalion, Fifth Regiment Infantry, N. G. C., Major J. F. Hayes Commanding.
Company A, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., Capt. C. T. Poulter commanding.
Company F, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., Capt. G. H. Wethern commanding.
Company G, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., Capt. W. F. Chipman commanding.
Grand Army of the Republic—Joe Hooker Post No. 11, Colonel Babcock commanding.
Appomattox Post No. 50, T. J. Pierce Commander.
Lookout Mountain Post No. 88, Comrade Gilbert, Commander.
Drum Corps.
Admiral D. D. Porter Post No. 169, John R. Scupham, Commander.
Sons of Veterans, Colonel E. D. Baker Camp No. 5.
The second division, Frank W. Cushing commanding.
Boys' Brigade Band.
Second Regiment Boys' Brigade, Colonel E. J. Walker commanding.
First Battalion, Major A. W. Taylor Commanding.
Second Battalion, Major S. N. Cobbledick commanding.
Clan McDonald No. 79, Order of Scottish Clans.
Canton Oakland No. 11 Patriarch Militant, I. O. O. F., F. B. Ogden commanding.
General George A. Custer Council No. 22, Junior Order United American Mechanics.

The parade will move promptly at 10 o'clock.

THE LINE OF MARCH.

On Broadway to Eighth, to Washington, to Fourteenth, to Broadway, on Broadway to Seventh, countermarch to Sixteenth, where cars will be held in reserve for those taking part in the parade.

The parade will re-form in the same order at the cemetery gates with the least possible delay, and move to the G. A. R. burial plot.

AT THE CEMETERY.

The order at the cemetery will be as follows:

Music, Fifth Regiment Band.
Invocation, Rev. James Curry.
Flag salute, forty scholars from Durant school.
Reading Lincoln's Gettysburg address, Capt. W. R. Thomas.
Address, Hon. Fred V. Wood.
Services G. A. R. and Sons of Veterans.
Placing flags on graves by Sons of Veterans.
Strewing flowers on graves by G. A. R., W. R. C., and ladies of G. A. R.
Music by Fifth Regiment Band.

AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

An anniversary mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock next Saturday morning at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, corner Seventh and Jefferson, for the repose of the souls of the deceased members of Oakland Council No. 6, Young Men's Institute. At the close of the exercises the attendants will repair to St. Mary's cemetery, where a patriotic address will be delivered by Rev. Father Clarke of San Francisco.

CAR ACCOMMODATIONS.

The Piedmont and Mountain View Railway will run through cars from Seventh and Washington streets on Friday, May 29th, via Broadway and Piedmont avenue to Mountain View cemetery gate, also via Broadway, Twenty-fourth street, Oakland and Vernal avenues to Blair Park where a large opening has been made in the fence between the Park and the cemetery, where people can enter the cemetery and have the advantage of a down hill walk to all the plots in that vicinity of the cemetery. The distance that persons visiting the soldiers' plot will have to walk from the entrance in Blair Park to the soldiers' plot, is less by considerable than the distance from Mountain View cemetery gate on Piedmont avenue.

On Saturday, during the time when Washington and Fourteenth streets will be occupied by the parade, cars will be run on regular headway from the postoffice to Mountain View cemetery gate on Piedmont avenue, and also to Mountain View cemetery via Blair Park.

As soon as the parade is over cars will be run through from Seventh and Washington to Mountain View cemetery by both routes.

THE TRADESMEN TALK.

Action With the Merchants' Exchange Now Seems Assured.

Preliminary Arrangements for the Approaching Oakland Exposition.

The Board of Trade held a special meeting last night.

Pesident Taylor called the Board to order at 8:15 P. M.

The roll-call showed the following members present: J. P. Taylor, M. J. Keller, A. D. Pryal, Albert Kayser, J. Tyrril, H. O. Trowbridge, E. B. Norton, George B. M. Gray.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

A letter from Senator Perkins in reference to the Bankruptcy Bill now before Congress was read and placed on file.

A letter from B. M. Lelong regarding jars for the Permanent Exhibit was read and referred to the Commitee on Jars.

A letter from the Chicago Board of of Trade of Chicago in reference to Senate Bill 2967 and House Bill No. 8536 was read, and, on motion referred to a Committee of two consisting of H. O. Trowbridge and M. J. Keller to report at the next meeting.

Mr. Burtchaell, representing the Oakland Merchant's Exchange, was present and spoke in reference to the appointment of a Committee to act conjointly with a Committee from the Merchant's Exchange in regard to fitly celebrating the 4th of July. Conference Comittee to meet next Thursday evening at the office of the Gaslight and Heat Company. On motion, a Committee of three constising of Messrs. Tyrril, Gray and Taft was appointed to act.

President Taylor, speaking in behalf of the ladies of the Fabiola Fete, said they had 1200 programmes left over, and would like to have the Board of Trade purchase about 600 of them for $50.00. On motion, the Board declined to purchase for the reason that they have endorsed the Woodruff Souvenir and are short of funds.

President Taylor, also reported dues book ordered and rent for use of room—$6 for May paid, amount $10.00.

By invittation, Col. Lyman Bridges of San Leandro was present and gave a number of reasons why a viaduct should be built under the Estuary to Alameda. He explained the whole matter at considerable length, the address being of great interest to those present. Col. Bridges offered his service to the Board as Consulting Engineer, free of charge. On motion, a vote of thanks was tendered him, and the offer of his services taken under further advisement.

A Committee from the Oakland Exposition consisting of Messrs. Trowbridge, Keller and Sharp offered the Board the free use of the Exposition Building, also any other assistance and facilities toward the Permanent Exhibit contemplated by the Board which the Oakland Exposition is now possessed of or may acquire.

On motion, a Committee of three consisting of Messrs. Tyrril, Fryal and Morton was appointed to cooperate with the Exposition Committee.

The efforts of Hon. Wm. R. Davis and others to secure for Oakland the Wilmerding School was heartily endorsed, and the Secretary was instructed to correspond with such members of the Board of Regents as he, or the Board, may have influence with, to work in the same direction.

President Taylor reported a suggestion made by Wm. E. Miller, Vice-President of the Oakland Bank of Savings, that the Board of Trade get up a popular subscription of say $5,000 for the purpose of investigating this section of country for the discovery of petroleum.

The Chair was instructed to appoint at his leisure a Committee of five from the members at large to take up the matter of petroleum development.

It was suggested by Mr. Sharp that a Committee be appointed to arrange for a monthly meeting of the whole Board of Trade, the programme to include essays on topics of interest to the county. The Chair appointed as such Committee, Messrs. Trowbridge, Gray and Breed.

The following names were proposed and elected to membership in the Board of Trade: M. Marcuse, R. T. Duburnet, Hopkins & Co., Stephen Brophy, F. H. and W. Y. Stewart, W. R. Kennedy, John Thomson, A. L. Stone.

Yachtsmen, Ho!

The Directors of the California Yacht Club held a meeting last evening, at which they set June 10th as the time for awarding the Walters cup and other trophies won at the recent races. On Friday night the yachts will leave for a three days' cruise to Sausalito, Vallejo and a short run up the river.

OLD TIME CONS.

Burglars Kelley and Mortenson Are in a Bad Box.

The burglars Edward Kelley and John Mortenson, who were captured on Sunday last after burglarizing the residence of a Mrs Byrne on Estudillo avenue, San Leandro, and who are now in the County Jail, have a criminal record which will send them to the penitentiary for a number of years. It has just been discovered that Mortensen has already served two terms in San Quentin prison, and Kelley has passed one term there. This information was given by the wife of Mortensen.

Both are considered crafty and desperate men and are now shown to have been members of an extensive gang of young thieves and burglars that has been infesting this county for a long time.

Their coolness was displayed by making their appearance at the County Jail a few days ago for the purpose of having a chat with A. F. Williams, the burglar who has just been sentenced to the penitentiary for seven and a-half years. As soon as they were brought to the jail after their arrest they were recognized by Jailor White as the callers of a few days before.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.

Walnut bedstead, $2; walnut bureau, $4.75; hall rack, $2.25; cradle, $3.50; chairs, 35c; gasoline stove, $4.50; box mattress, $1.50. Hunter & Co., 862 Market street.

Bay City Flour is whitest.

After your dinner go to the Macdonough Bar (Fred. Ch. Poock) and get a creme de menthe—the best after dinner drink on earth.

ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC RAILROAD--SANTA FE EXPRESS.

To Chicago, via A. & P. direct line for passengers holding both first and second class tickets.

Trains leave Oakland Pier daily, 5:30 P. M., carrying Pullman Palace Vestibule Sleepers and newest and best upholstered tourist sleepers of any road to Chicago, daily, without change.

Personally conducted excursions to Boston and all Eastern cities leave on every Wednesday. For rates, tickets and sleeping car accommodations apply at company's Oakland office, 1118 Broadway. J. J. Warner, Passenger and Ticket Agent.

PHILLIPS' ROCK ISLAND EXCURSIONS.

Leave every Wednesday via Rio Grande and Rock Island Rys. Through tourist sleeping cars to Chicago and Boston. Manager and porters go through to Boston. For rates and sleeping car accommodations address W. L. ACHARD, district pass. agent, 973 Broadway, Oakland, or CLINTON JONES, general agent Rock Island Railway, 30 Montgomery st., San Francisco.

THE OVERLAND FLYER

ONLY { 3½ Days to Chicago—3½ / 4½ Days to New York—4½

The Union Pacific is the only line running vestibuled Pullman double drawing room sleepers and dining cars daily, San Francisco and Chicago without change. Vestibuled Buffet smoking and library car added between Ogden and Chicago.

Upholstered tourist sleepers, San Francisco to Chicago daily without change. Personally conducted tourist excursions to St. Paul and Chicago every Friday.

Steamship tickets on sale to and from all points in Europe. D. W. Hitchcock, general agent, No. 1 Montgomery street, San Francisco. H. V. Blasdel, agent, 1019 Broadway, Oakland.

MAINLY FOR MOTHERS

You love your children. Knowingly you would not give them diseased milk. It may be cheaper than ours, but sickness and death are the penalties of using it. Our milk is fresh, thick and pure. Served twice daily. Will you try us?

OAKLAND CREAM DEPOT
1367 BROADWAY
TEL. MAIN 747 J. A. BLISS, Prop'r

THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST

especially when you can get the best as cheap as inferior makes. We know our

BICYCLE LEGGINS

are the best, and are backed up in this statement by our many customers, who not only have expressed this statement, but indorse it with their patronage. We have them from 50c to $2.00 in all shades.

YOUNG'S SHOE STORE,
961 Washington Street

FOR SALE!

$250—Choice lot near Broadway on easy terms.

$1400—Cottage 4 rooms, well and barn on Myrtle st., easy terms.

$2400—Corner house 8 rooms, bath and laundry; near station, electric cars pass door; a bargain.

$4500—Queen Ann house 8 rooms, bath and laundry; every convenience; electric cars pass door.

We have the exclusive sale of several choice business properties and investment tracts.

J. H. MACDONALD & CO.
473 Eth St., Near Broadway, Oakland

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

AMUSEMENTS.

MACDONOUGH THEATRE
CHAS. E. COOK.....Manager.
MONDAY NEXT, One Night Only
The Popular Comedian,
EDDIE FOY,
—IN—
"The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown,"
The Laughing Hit of the Century.
Seats ready TODAY—Prices 25c to $1.

Tuesday, June 9th, one night only,
ADA REHAN and the Daly Co.
Presenting "SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL."
ORDERS FOR SEATS RECEIVED at the BOX OFFICE—without extra charge—Every day this week from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
Regular sale of tickets begins next Tuesday at 9 A. M. No orders for seats received unless accompanied by the money. Prices 50c to $2. Leave orders and secure choice of seats.

OAKLAND THEATER.
Twelfth and Webster Streets.
FRANK BACON - - - - Manager
Telephone 50.
THE POPULAR RESORT
TO-NIGHT and every night this week
A Grand Treat to Musical Comedy by the
GRACIE PLAISTED CO.
In the Sparkling Operetta,
"TINA"
Interspersed with Specialties and Bright Numbers.
Popular Prices—Evenings, 10c, 20c, 30c; Loge Seats, 30c; Box Seats, 50c; Matinee, 10 and 20c.
Tickets on sale at Reilly's Drug Store, 1067 Bd'wy
Next week—Another treat.

COUNTESS CONSTANCE WACHTMEISTER,

The Pupil and Co-Worker of Madam Blavatsky, will lecture in Hamilton Hall, cor. Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, FRIDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock. Subject: "A Conscious Universe and the Evolution of Man."

ADMISSION FREE.

THE ATTRACTIONS OF THE SEASON!

Orchards of Cherries
Gardens of Roses
Fields of Waving Grain
Meadows of New Mown Hay
Grand Canyon of Haywards Park and pleasing harmonies at the Club House.

Cars of the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway leave 7th and Washington sts. on every even hour and half hour during the day.

CAPITOLA

Is charmingly situated on shore of the Bay of Monterey, four miles east of Santa Cruz on line of Broad Gauge Railroad.

Thousands visit this resort yearly to enjoy the surf bathing, salmon and trout fishing.

The hotel, situated at the very water's edge, baths, furnished and partly furnished cottages and provisions for amusements and recreation are all befitting a First Class Seaside Resort. Free camping ground. Address

F. REANIER, Supt., Capitola.

Pleasure running over follows the pop of a bottle of HIRES Rootbeer, the great temperance drink. The pop, the fun, and flavor delight everybody.

Made only by The Charles E. Hires Co., Philadelphia. A 25c. package makes 5 gallons. Sold everywhere.

—THE—
California Investment
COMPANY,
466 EIGHTH STREET
Oakland, Cal.

J. WALTER LAYMANCE....President
F. B. WOODHOUSE.....Secretary
FIRST NATIONAL BANK..Treasurer

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Charles McCleverty, S. P. Tate Jr.,
A. P. Holland, F. J. Edwards,
R. R. Grayson, J. J. Scrivner,
J. L. Champlin, J. W. Laymance,
F. B. Woodhouse.

CAPITAL STOCK.....$100,000

1000 shares at $100 each, payable at $1 per month upon each share. The most simple plan in the world to make money with practically no risk.

PURPOSE OF ORGANIZATION.

The California Investment Company is organized for the benefit of all its stockholders, and not for the purpose of bestowing wealth and power on a favored few, also to enable small investors to combine and gain equal advantages with capitalists in making investments, to buy, to sell, and deal in Real Esate, to borrow and make loans, and to provide for a life income during one's later years.

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SMALL INVESTORS.

The California Investment Company is organized for giving parties of small capital an opportunity for a safe and profitable investment, those who can spare but a few dollars at a time have long to wait before they can save enough to buy a lot and then they have to pay the retail price, which is much greater than that which land can be purchased for in large tracts. By depositing a few dollars with the California Investment Company you will place it where it will be combined for your benefit, with the money of others like yourselves. The Company purchases property at wholesale prices, then subdivides and sells the same at retail prices. Money invested where property is rapidly increasing in value will some time double and in all cases will bring a larger return than interest.

The California Investment Company desires to call your attention to their most simple co-operative system for making money. The plan of investing in the Company is the most simple in the world. The value of one share is one hundred dollars, payable at one dollar per month, no more, no less. This money is paid into the treasury of the Company and invested by the Board of Directors who are selected by the Stockholders once a year.

"In Union there is strength," any person investing money in the California Investment Company will receive more profits from the amount paid in than any investment they can make. It is only by the combination of your savings with those of others that your money is given power equal to that all of millionaires.

In these exceptionally bad times it is gratifying to know that there is still left an opportunity to make money and especially at this present time the California Investment Company believes now is the time to invest.

It is useless to say to you that in order for the California Investment Company to secure success, great experience, tact, judgment and discretion are necessary. All of these most important elements are intrusted to representative business men of this city who compose the Board of Directors.

Correspondence solicited.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Lace House

Corner Twelfth and Washington Streets.

The H. C. Capwell Co.

INCORPORATED

Telephone 1071—Red.

NOW BUY SUMMER UNDERWEAR

Our assortment is immense. Every garment was bought of the mill that made it. Better goods for the same money cannot be found in California.

Ladies' Sleeveless Vests

A dozen styles to show you, every one a bargain. White and Colors, at 5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 50c.

Ladies' Vests, Long Sleeves

A good vest, well finished, at 25c. Several grades in Cotton and Lisle, Ecru and White, at 35c, 50c to $1.

Ladies' Short Sleeve Vests

A number of good things, all well finished. Cream, Ecru and White, at 25c, 35c, 50c.

Ladies' Ribbed Drawers

To match grades and weights of Vests. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

Ladies' Tights

Lisle, full finished, Ecru, at 50c.
Lisle, full finished, Black, at 75c.

Ladies' Combination Suits

The greatest line ever shown in Oakland and is good and complete as carried by any house on this coast, at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 to $5.00.

Children's Garments

Jabl[?] Underwear for children that is made as it should be, we have in great variety.

Vests and Pants at 25c.

Children's Union Suits

High neck or low neck, no sleeves, at 50c.

High neck and long sleeves at 50c and 75c.

On JUNE 30th,

We will give away the handsome Conover Parlor Grand Piano now on exhibition in our show window. B.[?] You get a ticket with every purchase of one dollar's worth of goods.

AIDING INSTRUCTION.

Why Miss Morgan Sent Out the Lincoln School Questions.

A list of questions relative to each child's inclinations was sent to the parents of some of the pupils of the Lincoln School a short time ago and brought about some talk as the Board of Education claimed that it had not authorized any one to send out such questions nor did any of the members know who was the author of them.

There should have been no mystery. Miss Morgan, one of the teachers, was the only one who sent such questions and she did it merely as a part of the afternoon's work of her pupils. The following note which should have been copied by the children at the bottom of the questions would show that there was nothing compulsory on the part of the parents:

Dear Mother—The above is the home work our teacher told us about last month, but you must not feel under any obligations to answer all or any of the questions, as they relate to child study that our teacher is doing.

Miss Morgan is a student of pedagogics and the questions, besides being an exercise for the pupils, were when answered a help to her in her study.

THE COQUETTE

What is thy power that thou shouldst hold
My life within thy clasp so cold?
Dost call it all my sanity?
My very soul to thee do I bend
Yet still with all my heart thou'lt rend
It ...
With eyes so bright, with words so sweet,
I ... to fondle at thy feet
I'm forced to kneel in homage great;
Then, like a child with plaything new,
With tenderness ... with much ado
You love until you satiate
Then looks and words and acts austere
Reminding me ... I draw near
That I must wait and distance keep,
For thou art aim ... for battle strong
And Simpson like ... with a tongue
Thy thousands slay, then thou wilt weep
Thy spleen now o'er thou wilt return
Thy heart for one once more will yearn,
And kind and good again thou'lt be
Upon my lap thou'lt take thy seat
With words of love caresses sweet,
And swear I'm more than life to thee.
My every motion in thy sight
A ... to thy delight
Once more affection's slave art thou;
Now all seems calm upon my breast
Thy head is laid in peaceful rest
When low storms gather on thy brow.
Now oil on troubled waters might
Appease thy wrath if handled right
Yet would I not do so in this case,
At least not till thy anger's gone,
To do it then it might be wrong
To pour on oil from head to base,
In fact, I'd rather have it done
By some one else when I am gone
By some one fond of music sweet;
It would be well if he could run
And after that my house to shun,
In fact he'd better shun the street,
But if by chance he was to meet
My lady fair upon the street
He'd better turn another way
For woman's anger, when let loose,
Will man put his feet in use
If he has sense and nothing say
—Jennifar.

Christian Endeavor.

Under the auspices of the Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union, a reception to the delegates who attended the State Convention at San Jose will be held at the First Congregational Church on Friday evening, May 29th, at 7:45 P. M. S. W. Condon, County President, will preside, and the speakers will be several of the best known and enthusiastic workers in the cause of Christian Endeavor in Alameda County. All Endeavorers and others interested are cordially invited to be present.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Most Perfect Made. 40 Years the Standard.

FRATERNAL NEWS

Old Timers in Oakland Are Reviewed by a Veteran.

LOCAL LODGES ARE BUSY.

The A. O. H. Convention Is to Be a Big Affair.

CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES.

Social and Business Events In the Charmed Circles.

The fraternal world has not been prolific of great events during the past week, but those which have transpired will be found below.

Grand Army of the Republic.

On Saturday next Memorial Day will be appropriately observed by the Grand Army men of this city. The decoration of the graves by Appomattox and Porter Posts will take place shortly after noon. That by Lyon Post will occur in the morning, although the members of that organization, owing to the suspension under which they labor, will not appear in Grand Army regalia.

AN OLD COMRADE

The recent criticism of the management of the Veterans' Home at Yountville appeared in some of the fraternal papers in the East, and in connection with the criticism was mentioned the name of a prominent veteran of this city. The name, which is withheld, attracted the attention of an old comrade in the East and that fact called forth the following letter from a former Oaklander, Capt. W. H. Crocker, which has something personal and reminiscent in it and which will be read with a great deal of interest by all his former acquaintances in this city.

The clipping referred to above as taken from an Oakland paper tells of Mr. Crocker's having recently been commissioned as second lieutenant of Captain Lighthold's company in the battalion of light cavalry now being raised in this State for active service at the seat of war. It then tells of the presentation of a sword to Lieutenant Crocker at the Oakland House in the presence of a large number of people and of the Oakland Guard. The presentation speech was delivered by Dr. Newcomb and the speech of acceptance by Lieutenant Crocker the reporter of that day says was "so impressive and eloquent as to bring forth tears from those who reflected how soon he might justify his words and prove his devotion by sacrificing his young life." After the presentation there was a banquet served by Ames, the host, and the affair closed with a hop.

The second clipping referred to above tells of the presentation to Captain Crocker of a medal issued by Congress for gallantry at Cedar Creek, Va., in 1864.

Order of Eastern Star.

Last Thursday night Golden Gate Chapter of San Francisco O. E. S. held its district meeting. There were present visitors from the Chapters of the order in this city and many other places. Among the speakers were Mrs. Partridge of Oakland, who has long been identified with the Eastern Star.

Native Daughters

Alameda Parlor N. D. G. W. of Alameda has elected Mrs. Sophie Schroeder as delegate to the forthcoming Grand Parlor of the order.

Companions of the Forest, F. O. A.

A new branch of this order was instituted in this city on last Wednesday and will be known as Loyal Circle. It was instituted by Grand Secretary Miss A. D. Bremer, assisted by Grand Trustee Mrs. R. Harrington and Past Chief Companions Miss H. Mentel, Miss B. Hintz and Henry Kaufman. The officers installed were as follows: Mrs. Flora Jacobs, J. P. C. C.; Mrs. B. Ross, C. C.; Mrs. D. Hubbardt, S. C. C.; Mrs. R. Cohen, Financial Secretary; M. J. Harris, Recording Secretary; Mrs. N. C. Noblett, Treasurer; Mrs. G. Tichnor, R. G.; Mrs. Schramm, I. G.; Samuel Roselberg, O. G.

Knights and Ladies of Honor.

There will be one assessment for June.

A visit will be made this evening to Palmetto lodge, West End, Alameda, by Protector Colquhoun and other members of Oakland lodge.

Oakland lodge No. 935 appointed a committee of three last Tuesday evening to act in conjunction with Palmetto and Seal Rock lodges of Alameda and Berkeley lodge in arranging for a union meeting. The Secretary was instructed to ask the other lodges to appoint a similar committees on conference and arrangements.

Red Men.

On last Friday evening Tecumseh Tribe, I. O. R. M., entertained the Great Sachem, A. Jackson, who was accompanied by P. G. S. Goodyear, F. R. Brandt, C. F. Burgman, F. S. Bliss, and many other prominent officers of the order at G. A. R. Hall on Thirteenth street.

The evening was most enjoyable as well as instructive. A paleface had been captured by the hunters and adopted in a creditable form, after which a banquet was served. During the evening interesting speeches were made by A. Jackson, B. F. Josslyn, W. M. Betts and F. Brandt.

On the 29th inst. nominations will be made.

Ancient Order Hibernians.

Preparations are now being made by the Ancient Order of Hibernians for the convention of the order which is to be held in San Jose, beginning June 1st.

It is expected that many changes will be made in the constitution of the order in order to adapt it to the recent great increase which has been experienced in the order. When the present constitution was adopted there were but five divisions of the order in this State. Now there are thirty-eight and the membership comprises about 4000 people. In San Francisco there are twenty divisions, while Alameda has five. The Grand Recording Secretary of the order is D. S. McCarthy, who is a resident of this city. The delegates from Alameda County are as follows:

Division 1—The Rev. J. B. McNally, E. J. Murphy, M. J. O'Gara, John Pegrum, M. Sullivan and P. Duffy.

Division 2—James Sullivan, M. Duddy, David Barry, W. Lenane and Edmond Murphy.

Division 3—Patrick Mullen, Timothy Nolan, John C. Murphy, J. J. Smith and James Smith.

Division 4—M. J. Fitzgerald, P. W. Treacy, Frank McAllister, Daniel M. Murphy and Charles E. McCarthy.

Division 5—Thomas Doyle, M. Powers, H. Creed, Thomas Furer and C. Toomey.

Ancient Order United Workmen

The Supreme Lodge of the A. O. U. W. will meet in Buffalo early next month. The State of California will be represented in it by Past Supreme Master Workman W. H. Jordan and Past Grand Master Workmen E. Danforth, G. B. Katzenstein, J. M. Young and Grand Recorder D. S. Hirshberg.

The Board of Arbitration meets today at the office of the Grand Secretary to pass upon disputed claims.

CENTRAL LODGE

Central Lodge, No. 21, A. O. U. W., is forging ahead in an active and resolute manner. The meetings are well attended and the members are displaying a great deal of interest. At the meeting which was held on last Monday President Hessler of the Past Masters' Association was present and delivered an interesting address. Speeches were also made by Edward Murphy, P. M. Horgan and a number of others. A committee is soon to be appointed to make arrangements with other committees of the same kind for a district meeting.

The new officers of Central Lodge for the ensuing term are as follows:

P. M. W., Wm. C. Williamson; M. W., Jas. J. Driscoll; Foreman, J. Driscoll; Overseer, J. C. Parkinson; Guide, Wm. O. O'Connell; Financier, Ed Donovan; Receiver, M. O'Riely; Recorder, C. Gilman; J. W., J. M. Prairs; O. W., M. Dolan.

OCCIDENTAL LODGE

W. D. Trost, Recorder, writes that a very important meeting of Occidental Lodge will be held this evening. Important changes in the by-laws will be acted upon.

PACIFIC LODGE

This evening Pacific lodge No. 7 will hold an open session at the new hall, 1169 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

The principal event on the programme will be a lecture by Past Grand Master Workman Rogers of San Francisco, who is a fluent speaker and has taken for his subject "The Economic Law of the Sermon on the Mount."

The drill team of Pacific lodge went to San Francisco last evening and conferred the degrees on ten candidates at Valley lodge. They were given a hearty reception by the members of lodge No. 30, who were out in full force.

Catholic Ladies' Aid Society.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society is making arrangements for a series of lectures to be given in the near future by prominent speakers, among them Fathers Yorke and Clark.

The regular weekly meeting of the society will be held Monday evening, June 1st, in Y. M. I. Hall, Broadway.

Woodmen of the World

On the 17th of next month there will be a District Convention of the Woodmen of the World held in this city, at which will be elected three delegates to the annual meeting of the Head Camp, which is to be held in Butte, Montana. For every twenty-five members each camp is entitled to one delegate or a major fraction thereof. Oakland Camp is entitled to nine delegates and has selected them as follows: J. J. Boak, T. M. Robinson, F. E. Ogden, J. L. Lyon, J. B. Greer, T. H. Pitton, S. H. Masters, H. J. McKin, J. T. Taylor. The alternates selected are as follows: A. R. Watters, L. G. Burpee, F. T. Johnson, L. Nusbaumer, P. J. Newman, Byron Rutley, Dr. C. J. Sharp, W. W. Curnow, T. T. Leiter.

The officers of this camp for the ensuing term are as follows: Council Commander, J. B. Greer; Adviser Lieutenant, L. J. Taylor; Escort, F. Johnson; Assistant Escort, A. Muchmore; Watchman, H. J. McKin; Sentry, J. C. Snow; Manager, L. T. Leiter; organist, James Pollitt.

Odd Fellows.

On the 10th of next month Grand Master W. J. Warboys, I. O. O. F., will start on a tour of official visitations.

On last Thursday night General J. F. Crossett, Commander of the Department of California Patriarchs Militant, accompanied by his chief of staff and aides and Canton No. 5 of San Francisco, visited Oakland Canton No. 11, and installed the officers of that organization. The ceremony was conducted by General E. H. Black, Colonel H. O. Flower and Colonel W. S. Potter, aided by Canton No. 5. After the installation there was a banquet during which speeches were delivered by Gen. Crossett, Gen. Black, Col. Brower, Col. Potter, Captain A. J. Duncan, Captain F. B. Ogden, Grand Representative Dames and others.

TWENTY-THREE YEARS OLD.

On the 23d inst., Livermore Lodge, I. O. O. F., reached the twenty-third milestone in its journey through this world.

In honor of this event, the sisters of the Rebekah Lodge planned and carried into execution the decoration of the lodge reception room and parlor. Without the knowledge of any of the masculine fraternity, they raised money and employed artisans for the work. They repapered the apartment elegantly and hung upon its walls handsome oil paintings, the work of their own artistic brushes. Mrs. Savage furnished a large landscape, Mrs. Jordan a striking marine view, Mrs. George Beck a luscious study of fruit, Mrs. McKown a dainty creation of chrysanthemums and Miss Ella Weymouth a large panel of peach blossoms and swallows.

The surprise was sprung on the lodge Thursday night, at recess, when the brethren were invited unsuspectingly into the parlor.

It is said that the gentlemen were deeply impressed by the sisterly thoughtfulness of the Rebekahs, and that among themselves they have determined upon seeing to it that needed repairs are at once made upon the extension of the main hall, still in an unfinished state.

The Odd Fellows, says the Livermore Herald, have a fine property and are justly proud of it.

Knights of Pythias.

Oakland lodge No. 103, K. of P., at its last convention conferred the page rank on one stranger. The surprise for the occasion, promised by Brothers Borland and Gans, the stereoptican managers, surpassed all expectations, while the music furnished by Prof. N. Bonham's orchestra was up to date.

The report of the grand lodge delegates, Brothers Aldrich and Gans, of the doings of that august body, was

(Continued on page 8.)

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

Carpetings

WE ARE RECEIVING FROM THE MANUFACTURERS

NEW GOODS IN LATEST STYLES!

We have an **Immense Stock** and **Our Prices** are the **Lowest.**

All goods strictly as represented.

JAPANESE AND CHINA MATTINGS.

All the Latest Novelties in these goods at prices ranging from 15c to 30c per yard.

Linoleums

A Large Stock of All Grades at **Lowest Prices.**

R. H. CHAMBERLAIN,

416-420 Twelfth St.

OAKLAND, CAL.

$150 Cash

—AND—

$30 PER MONTH, Including Interest,

Will Buy a

NEW MODERN HOUSE,

Containing

7 Rooms and Bath,

SITUATED ON

Central Avenue, ALAMEDA

In a Choice Residence Section

LOT 30x125

William J. Dingee,

460-462 Eighth Street,

OAKLAND.

SHOES SOLED SUDDENLY—

By an Expert, until recently with the Oakland Boot and Shoe Co.

GENTS' SOLING....(Hand-Sewed) . $1.00
" " .. (Nailed) 50c
LADIES' " 40c
Children's Shoes Repaired Reasonably.

A. ZIMMERMAN, 832 WASHINGTON, Between 6th and 7th Sts

BUYING AT MEESE'S

is a pleasure—there is such variety in stock—such accommodating prices—it is headquarters for woodenware, toys, baskets, brushes, cordage, stationery and willowware furniture.

907-909 Washington St.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

KAHN BROS.

THE "STANLEY"

Is the only Waist made with the

"FLORETTE" ADJUSTER AND SKIRT HANGER.

THE HOT SPELL

Is here at last and this is the store in which you will find the garments to make you happy and comfortable during the summer.

WE'VE THREE LINES

In Particular in the STANLEY waists which we are offering at prices ever so low.

THERE'S THE PRETTY

Yellow and black combination always sold for $1.75. This hot week, **$1.00**

THEN AGAIN

Those pretty Chambray embroidered front, regular price, $2.25. This hot week, **$1.50**

AND ALSO THOSE

Beautiful Plaid Waists, you've seen them in the window, reduced from $1.25 to **75c**

LAST, BUT NOT LEAST,

The prettiest line and best values at 50c, are to be sold this week at **39c**

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

For the Many Other Price Attractions at

KAHN'S CORNER,

N. E. 12th and Washington Sts.

OAKLAND, CAL.

LAYMANCE

REAL ESTATE and INVESTMENT Co.

466 Eighth Street, Oakland Cal.

AT AUCTION!

SPECIAL SALE SPECIAL SALE

Saturday, June 6th, 1896

At 2 O'clock P. M., at Salesroom.

Without Limit. Sale Absolute

—WE WILL SELL—

5-Magnificent Business and Residence Lots-5

Southeast corner Market and 18th streets. Both streets sewered and macadamized, water, gas, etc. This elegant property is subdivided into four lots 25x100 each. Corner 30x100; only few minutes' walk to the local train, Market Street Station. Electric car every few minutes to the center of the city and Sixteenth Street Depot, is surrounded by a fine class of improvements. This property can be so improved as to pay good interest on the investment. This property must be sold to close estate and will be sold to the highest bidder.

TERMS OF SALE CASH.

—ALSO—

$100 CASH. $100 CASH

TWO MODERN COTTAGES of four and five rooms each, located on the west side of CENTER STREET, No. 723 and 725. Lot 23x146. Extraordinary easy terms—ONLY $100 CASH, BALANCE $15 PER MONTH. This property is within easy access to local trains and will rent so as to pay good interest on the investment.

ELMHURST

Business property at Elmhurst—Store and five rooms in rear. Lot facing Jones avenue and San Leandro road. 100x150. Estimated low value of land $2000. Building cost $1500, total $3500. This property must be sold to the highest bidder—only $300 cash, balance easy. Examine the property before day of sale.

—ALSO—

Two elegant lots east side of Peralta street, 200 feet north of 14th street, 26x100 each. Peralta street graded, sewered and macadamized, cement walk, etc., surrounded by a good class of improvements. Extraordinary easy terms—only $100 cash, balance in four equal semi-annual payments.

BERKELEY

An ideal home in Berkeley, located in the midst of fine improvements, containing nine rooms and bath, streets graded, macadamized, sewered, etc. Will be sold upon easy terms. Large lot 50x100, beautiful garden, street car and local trains communication to Oakland and San Francisco. Only $500 cash—balance at $25 per month. This elegant property will be sacrificed.

TWO COTTAGES

Nos. 623 and 625 Third street, between Jefferson and Grove, containing six rooms and bath, lot 26x100 each. Only one-quarter cash, balance in three equal yearly payments. Interest eight per cent per annum. Third street sewered, macadamized, gas, water, etc., complete.

FOR FULL PARTICULARS APPLY TO

LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE AND INVESTMENT COMP'Y

LAND AUCTIONEERS,

466 Eighth St., Oakland, Cal.

ALLIANCE AROUSED.

The Stalwart Republican Club Again in the Field.

OLD-TIME ENTHUSIASM SHOWN

George Morrow is President and Varney Gaskill Commander.

CARLTON IS STILL SECRETARY.

A Rousing Fight is to Be Made for Major McKinley.

"Hip, hip, rah, hip, hip, rah, Alliance, Alliance, rah, rah, rah, McKinley!"

The slogan rang long and loud through Masonic Hall last night, and fully sixty lusty voices swelled the chorus. It was a reminder of old times—times when the city resoundedo for Harrison when the sturdy young Republicans marshalled into line, paraded the streets and sent skyward vari-colored lights from their flaming flambeaux Indeed, those were good old days, full of enthusiasm and fun, and there is not one of that jolly band but looks back with pleasant recollections of the past. How the ladies admired those nattily attired men—certainly it was an honor to belong to the Alliance Club and succeeding years have not dimmed the distinction one wait.

Now that same club, minus the few who have passed into the great beyond, will again come to the front and with united strength stand shoulder to shoulder for McKinley. The great protectionist's likeness will be displayed on the banners and the flambeaux will flash in his cause.

It was a sort of a family reunion last evening Everywhere there was handshaking and the feeling of brotherhood pervaded the entire session. Truly the Alliance Club of '96 has started out auspiciously.

When the club adjourned after the last Gubernatorial campaign, it was to the call of the Chairman, and this brought the calling to order by Victor H. Metcalf After preliminary discussion and recitals of campaign reminiscences by members, grouped in twos and threes about the hall, President Metcalf called the meeting to order. Then the minutes of two years ago were read and approved.

The next business was the election of a new Board of Directors. This brought forward nominations of eleven representative members, and upon a unanimous ballot they were declared elected They are Howard Shinn, L L. Bromwell, George P Morrow, C A. Bon, Harry P Carlton, William G Henshaw, W. A. Mitchell, Robert J Boyer, A P Brayton Jr., F. E Brigham and Victor H Metcalf.

This practically ended the business of the club, so the newly constituted Board of Directors went into executive session, and immediately proceeded to the election of officers for the campaign

George P. Morrow was the unanimous choice for President, and F. E. Brigham was given the honor of the office of First Vice President.

W G Henshaw had the position of Second Vice President placed at his feet, while Howard W. Shinn was elected Treasurer

Harry P. Carlton, who has served the club and the ball was started rolling elected to succeed himself, and Sol D Rogers was given the Assistant Secretaryship.

The Commander-in-Chief, who is to lead the ranks during the campaign, must of necessity be thoroughly up in the tactics, as well as making an imposing appearance. The selection of Varney Gaskill for this position was a most happy one for he combines all the necessary qualifications and is also a general favorite. He was elected by acclamation, and was given the power to appoint all his officers This will probably be done before the next meeting.

Some time after the election of officers the Alliance Band seronaded the new club, and the hall was started rolling in earnest. The next meeting will be held on Monday night when all former members are urged to be present.

The club members will wear uniforms patterned after the same neat style as the costume always worn before Another feature will be a bugle and drum corps Harry P Carlton will officiate as chief bugler, and the other members will be designated shortly.

The Alliance is now in for business Active work will begin as soon as the members can be lined up. Already invitations have been received from Nevada and other places for a visit, but Oakland will, of course, be given the first display.

WOMAN ARE WELCOME.

Selection of Officers by the Young Men's Populist Club

The Young Men's People's Party Club decided last evening that, inasmuch as the party believes in female suffrage, ladies should be invited to join their club. A general resolution inviting all females to put their names on the roll was passed, and a special one inviting Miss Frankie Lane, Oakland's Portia, who is to stump the county in the cause of Populism, to become a member, met with no opposition and was spread on the minutes.

The club also tried to cast the cloak of honor upon H. Socrates Pu, by electing him Commander of the military contingent. Pu pleaded that his spare moments were given to writing poetry, and his time was too limited to allow him to accept the post. A compromise was made by electing him to the Second Vice Presidency. Other officers elected were: President, J. C. Buttner, First Vice President, C. E Gardner; Second Vice President, Pu; Secretary, Fred Hale Treasurer, E. J White; Sergeant-at-Arms, George Palenbaum.

To Talk on India.

An instructive entertainment for the benefit of the West Oakland Free Kindergarten will be given in the parlors of the Unitarian Church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Hamlin, who spent nearly two years in India, will speak upon the social customs of that country for the benefit of the above named worthy charity. Her talk will be enriched by the exhibition of curios from India and a young lady will wear a native Hindoo costume. Admission will be only 25 cents.

Bernal Located.

John Bernal, the Pleasanton man who shot Richard Foley in December of last year, and who failed to appear for trial in the Superior Court yesterday, was taken into custody on a farm about four miles from Pleasanton yesterday evening by Constable Lyster. Bernal had made no attempt to escape, although as a consequence of his failure to appear for trial his bail bond in the sum of $2000 was ordered forfeited. He explained that the reason he did not appear was because he thought his trial had been continued.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ORIGINAL EXERCISES.

The High School Festivities Are Being Thoroughly Enjoyed.

PICTURESQUE DECORATIONS.

The Death of Cæsar Recited in a Merry Burlesque.

EVERYTHING IS A SUCCESS.

A Large Throng of Friends of the Students Present.

The members of the graduating class of the Oakland High School are holding their Class Day exercises this afternoon in the gymnasium. The hall has been gorgeously decorated by the members of the Low Senior Class under the direction of Miss Rose Brydges, Miss Elizabeth Scupham, and Richard Harvey. The class color is a brilliant cardinal and this color is used extensively in the decorations.

The stage is trimmed in red bunting and three enormous American flags form an artistically draped curtain. Around the platform is twined ivy and creeping geranium, while clusters of red blossoms are placed here and there. At the doors of the hall stand palms in pots draped in cardinal colors.

The stage represents a High School room and J J. Rosborough's clever little farce, "The Killing of Julius Dorety Caesar," President of the Class of June '96, is played by the members of the class. Fifty-five graduates occupy the seats on the stage. It is supposed to represent the interior of a class room while the students are holding a meeting. The dialogue of the farce is clever and witty and extremely up to date.

The farce represents an afternoon in the High School senior classroom. The class President has been tyrannical and ambitious. The leading politicians of the class finally decide he must die for it They adopt the latest manner of execution, viz., Professor Mead's batteries After the supposed death of Caesar, Anthony produces his will which contains the class dispensation. The breast of Caesar explodes with grief on hearing the final portion of his will and his shade appears before the horror-stricken multitude; a reconciliation ensues he calls the meeting to order and the renowned class of June departs gloriously and immortal to their alloted fame.

The cast is composed of the following graduates:

Julius Dorety Caesar Fred G. Dorety
Marcus Brutus Shueyus.....W. Albert Shuey
Harry Cassius Keelh..Harry A. Keeler
Cloud Casca.....Archie J. Cloud
Decius Baker.....Arthur Baker
Cinna Muma .....Irwin J. Muma
Metellus Breed.....Herbert L. Breed
Trebonius Oliver.....Edwin L Oliver
Popilus Nicholius....J. Carrol Nicholls
Artimodorus Dibert....Jesse L. Dibert
Mark Antony Brooks..Chas S. Brooks
Cicero Ralston Coffee Rudolph Coffee
Miss Flavius Lundy (Tribune and Greek scholar)..Miss Estelle Lundy
Miss Marullus Wachs (Tribune and Greek scholar)Miss Gertrude Wachs
A student .....John R Robinson
Mrs. Harriet Chickeria (Portia and class prophet)....Harry Chickering
Multitude .....The Class

The play is full of local hits and produces considerable laughter Marc Antony's speech was full of grief as he thought of his dead friend Caesar who would never more aid him with his Latin The reading of Caesar's will was thoroughly enjoyable for it contained a reference to every graduate and was something in the nature of a dispensation

Owing to the length of the play neither the class prophecy nor history were read The music for the afternoon was rendered by August Benson's orchestra

THE GRADUATES.

This evening the graduating exercises will be held in the gymnasium and the following young ladies and gentlemen will be granted diplomas:

Lizzie Arlett Harry W Bangle Fannie Bolles, Charles S Brooks, Arthur Baker, Herbert L Breed Alfred R Burrell, Arthur Caldwell Agnes M Cole, Archie J Cloud, Helen Campbell, Harry Chickering Rudolph Coffee, M Sara Cooper Fred G Dorety Jesse L Dibert, Gertrude Davis, Grace B Edson Cora L Evans Lucia H Fish, Mariana Flores, Samuel P Hardy Mary V. E Harris Frank Jenks Neva T Jarvis, Lotta A Jeneka, May N Jackson Harry A Keeler, Henry B Lynch, Estelle J Lundy, Roy McClymonds Minnie Maxwell, Irwin J Muma, Martha J McDill, Catherine McLean, Lillie Evelyn Moller John Carroll Nicholls, Genevieve Nicholson, Ella J. O'Connell Edwin L. Oliver, Eva Powell, Ernest S. Page Ella Rosenberg, Joseph J. Rosborough, John R. Robinson, Yoneshiro Shibata May L. Sellander, Sophie E. Sohst, Minnie Snyder, William A Shuey, Arthur Tasheria, Elroy J. Wagor, Gertrude H. Wachs, Anna R. Wilder, Emma Wolter.

Professor E H Griggs of Stanford University will deliver a lecture on the subject of "Self Culture Through the Vacation"

Admission to the exercises is by ticket only and over 900 tickets have been issued.

Superintendent McClymonds was given fifty for the Board of Education and city officials Principal McChesney and teachers were given an equal number between them. The others are divided among the members of the class, giving each fourteen.

Spiritualist Societies.

The State Convention of the Christian Spiritualist Societies held two sessions yesterday in Hamilton Hall and as a result of the meeting another local society, making the fourth in this city, will be formed Sunday. Clever addresses were made by the various speakers and in the evening a banquet was served to the 150 visiting delegates at Loring Hall.

BORN.

JAMES—In Alameda, May 20, 1896, to the wife of William James, a daughter.

DIED.

FARMER—In this city, May 27, 1896, Mrs. H. Milo Farmer, nee Clara M. Hayward, a native of California, aged 33 years.

BATCHELDER — In Oakland, May 26, 1896, Samuel M. Batchelder, a native of New Hampshire, aged 61 years.

THE SECRET DISCOVERED.

The World Has Waited a Thousand Years for This.

"Proclaim it to all the world that you have the secret of perfect health for men; of power over disease, weakness and decay; of Glorious manhood. Write it, talk it, sing it, shout it till all these human wrecks are saved!"

So writes a happy man fresh from the Slough of Despond.

Well, the discovery has been proclaimed, but men are slow to believe.

The way is open to inquire, to investigate. Why will not every man do so?

There is a simple way to cure at home all those baneful effects of the sins of youth and the excesses of later years which blast the lives of multitudes of men.

There is a way to regain strength lost by disease, overwork and worry.

A way to secure and retain the abilities sacrificed to dissipation—to "be glad again after suffering an atonement."

A way to repair drains on the system that sap the vitality.

A way to replace nervousness, dread and despondency with courage and self-respect.

A way to give full strength, development and tone to every portion of the body.

A way to remove every obstacle to happy and fruitful married life.

All this is clearly shown in a little medical work recently published. It is not a book for general circulation, being purely medical and scientific and for men only who need advice and aid.

How to get it: Write to the Erie Medical Company, Niagara Street, Buffalo, N. Y., say you read the article in this paper, and ask them to send you the book called "Complete Manhood, and the Way to Attain It." They will send one copy entirely free, in a plain sealed wrapper, to any man who writes for it in good faith.

AMUSEMENTS.

A List of Excellent Attractions for Oakland Theater Goers.

Gracie Plaisted's engagement at the Oakland is proving one of the great successes in the history of the theater. She attracted another big house last night and her bright, clever operetta was much enjoyed. The show will be here until Sunday night.

EDDIE FOY.

The public of this city should be glad to welcome the popular comedian, Eddie Foy, at the Macdonough on next Monday evening, when he will be seen in that funniest of funny farces, "The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown." The company includes among others the well known names of Harry Brown, one of the best general comedians in the country, and who will chiefly be remembered for his performance of "Lorenzo" in the original production in the United States of "The Mascot," Jas E. Sullivan, C. J. Bunidge, Geo. Gaston, Effie Dinsmore, Lillian Larkins, Lizzie Conway, Payson Graham Lizzie Morgan and Madeleine Miranda. Seats are selling rapidly.

ADA REHAN.

Interest in the appearance of Ada Rehan and the Daly Company continues to grow each day. The social importance of the engagement is now assured and the demand for seats is extraordinary.

A SHORT SUMMONS.

Mrs. Milo Farmer Called Away to Lasting Rest.

Mrs. Milo Farmer, nee Clara M. Hayward, died yesterday at her home 1368 Brush street, after a short illness.

Mrs. Farmer was very well known and very popular in this city, and in her old home in Vallejo. She was a charter member and an organizer of the Mrs. L land Stanford Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. She was a prominent member of the order of Native Daughters, and was very active in social and charitable affairs. Her husband, H. M Farmer is an engineer on the South Pacific Coast Railroad.

Mrs. Farmer was a native of California and was 33 years of age at the time of her death. She leaves a husband and three children.

Ebell's Progress.

The Ebell Society has signed a contract with W. J. Reed for a five year lease of the lower story of a building he will erect especially for the society at the corner of Harrison and Thirteenth streets. The present rooms of the society are in the building on the corner of Washington and Fourteenth streets, but they are considered too small and cramped. The new rooms will be designed especially for the accommodation and convenience of the society.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

WEDNESDAY, May 27, 1896

P C and Amelie Rossi to West Okd Mutual Loan Assn, E Campbell s 56-8 S 18th st S 25 x E 110 being lot 11 blk 740-A $5.

Wm M Hatfield to H B Mayo, N W-11th st 52 E Center E 52 x N 110 being lot 2 blk 558, Center st Home Lots at Okd Pt subject to a mtge for $5,600 $10.

Huldah F Boyce to Shepherd B Boyce S cor 23d av and E-14th st SW 50 x SE 75 being lots 27, 28 and 29 blk 1 Resub blks 1 and 3 Kennedy tract Gift.

T C Toheson to L W Forsting, SW Prospect av and E-18th st W 110 x S 52-6 being lot 1 and N ½ lot 3 blk G, Daly tract $1,550.

L W Forsting to Frances P Tully wf N C, SW E-18th and Prospect av W 110 x S 52-6 blk G Daly tract $10.

Elizabeth Aldis to Thos and Catherine E Reed, S 19th st 161-8 E Willow st E 25 x S 156 being lot 15 blk 526 Casserly tract at Okd Pt $10.

Florence McArthur to Diana Levitt, W Chestnut 125 N 30th st N 25 x W 132 blk C, lands of Peralta Hd Assn Gift.

J H T and Henrietta Watkinson to Frederick Prindle, N Linda av 150 W Pleasant Valley av N 110 W 25 N 93.41 W 60.80 S 172.90 E 75.57 to beg being lots 13, 15, 17 and 18 Map of Bowie pty $5.

Frederick and Nora Prindle to David S Prindle, same $150.

Maynie F Spencer to Jos Zens, N Parker (Eddy) 240 W McGee av N 182 6 W 149-6 to W bdry line Case tract 33 133 to N line Parker st E 159-6 to beg being lots 17 to 20 blk 3 case tract $10.

Wm Barry to Daniel A Twiggs, N Virginia st 50 W Bonte av W 50 x N 125 being lot 17 blk 17 Daley's Scenic Park QCD $10.

G H Perry assne of Louis Meyer (Insolvent debtor) to L Fjiord or Fjord all int S Eagle av 100-4¼ W Park st W 110 x S 145 being lots 8 and 9 blk 145 Minturn tract $57.

Why Do You Persist?

In buying poor candles when you can buy the finest and purest for the same price at Lehnhardt's, 1115 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth.

Bay City Flour is purest.

FRATERNAL NEWS.

Continued from page 5.

rendered in a clear and concise manner.

The reappointment of Brother Oldrick for district deputy grand chancellor of district No. 5 was greatly appreciated by all concerned. His indefatigable interest in the order has become proverbial in Pythian circles in Oakland and Alameda.

Tomorrow night Oakland lodge will work the rank of page on one stranger and the rank of esquire on one page. After the session adjourns, Pilgrims M. B. Curtis of Amazon lodge No. 181 and Stanguard of No. 103 will be initiated and introduced in the mysteries of the Oriental realm.

It is pleasing to record that, notwithstanding the dull times which have prevailed during the past year throughout the grand division, the report of the grand chancellor, George Samuels, proves, without fear of contradiction, that the order of Knights of Pythias is the only one of its kindred organizations which has increased in membership during that time in this State to the extent of 400 new names.

Masonic.

The third degree will be conferred in Live Oak lodge No. 61, F. & A. M., tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. The new electric lighting system will be used and special music will be rendered. Brethren are cordially invited.

OAK LEAF LODGE.

At the meeting of Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 35, A. O. U. W., Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Master Workman, Bro. Chas. Dunton; Foreman, Bro. Chas. Phipps, Overseer, Bro. J. A. Colquhoun; Guide, Bro. Wm. Cogan; Inside Guardian, Bro. James McAllister, Outside Guardian, Bro. W. J. Oakes; Trustee, Bro. J. A. C. Macdonald; Organist, Bro. W. B. Ingersoll.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Brothers Dunton, Oakes, Cogan and Greenebaum and also Chief of Honor Mrs. Oakes of Ivy Lodge, No. 4, Degree of Honor, for the handsome emblem of the A. O. U. W. and beautiful easel presented by them, the workmanship of which was the contribution of each of these talented members of the order.

An invitation was received from Pacific Lodge, No. 7, A. O. U. W., inviting Oak Leaf members and their families to a lecture to be given this evening at A. O. U. W. Hall, Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, by Past Grand Master Workman Rogers, the subject of which is entitled "The Economic Law of the Sermon on the Mount."

One new member was received into the lodge by card. Two applications for membership were also received and two members were elected by ballot.

Next Monday two new members will be initiated.

Brother Hall stated that directly after Oakland Lodge adjourned Friday evening, the new Past Master Workmen's Association will convene.

It was announced that Past Master Workman Johns will deliver an address before Oakland Lodge tomorrow evening. All present were invited to attend.

Brother Joseph Harris made some interesting remarks pertinent to the order. His argument why every member should attend the lodge as often as possible was logical and convincing. He related an incident which occurred lately, showing the trouble caused in the family of a deceased brother by the failure of that brother to attend lodge meetings.

Grand Recorder D. S. Hirshberg gave a very pleasant account of his visit to Valley Lodge, San Francisco, on the evening of May 23d. He stated that this lodge, one year ago, had only forty-three members, but now, thanks to its energetic officers, and especially its Master Workman, 123 members are enrolled. The eloquent brother stated that all along the line A. O. U. W. interests are booming in the most encouraging manner, and that a wonderful increase in the ranks of the order will be seen before the end of the year.

Degree of Honor.

A very large attendance was present at the meeting of Ivy Lodge, No. 4, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., last Wednesday evening. As announced at the previous meeting, Past Grand Chief of Honor Mrs. Stewart was present to bid adieu prior to her departure to the Superior Grand Lodge, Degree of Honor, Convention, which meets in Buffalo, N. Y., on June 11th and 12th.

Sister Stewart is the representative to the Superior Grand Lodge elected at the Grand Lodge, Degree of Honor, Convention, lately held in San Francisco

The lady outlined what her policy would be in the interests of the California Degree of Honor Lodges. She also thanked Ivy Lodge for its magnanimous share in making the Grand Lodge entertainment and reception the success it was.

Past Grand Chief of Honor Stewart stated that she would leave San Francisco for the East Sunday evening, May 31st, a few days prior to the departure of the other delegates, as she was desirous of stopping over for a few days in Chicago. Those desirous of bidding Sister Stewart adieu may meet her at the pier 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

Three new members were initiated at the last meeting Several applications for membership were received. Sister Donaldson, Chairman of the Dramatic Committee, reported progress and specially requested all the members of the committee to be present at her residence, 500 Twenty-fourth street, Friday evening. She also desired any member of the lodge who wished to do so, to be present also.

An invitation was received from Pacific Lodge inviting Ivy Lodge to the lecture to be given this evening by Past Grand Master Workman Rogers at A. O. U. W. Hall.

The following short but excellent programme was presented by the new Attraction Committee: Recitation, "Mary McGuire," Sister Donaldson; song, "Do Not Forget Me," with guitar accompaniment, Past Chief of Honor Mrs. Cogan; reading, "Aunt Melissa Smart," Sister Van Court; song, "Love Me When I'm Old," Chief of Honor, Mrs. Oakes.

Sisters Carr and Mitchell made a few eloquent remarks Brother and Sister Ingler received congratulations on the heroic conduct of their oldest son at the fire at their residence, and were requested to induce him to join Ivy Lodge as soon as he is eligible.

Sister of Ceremonies Mrs. Hodges was present, after several weeks' absence in the country, as was also Brother Hodges.

The new Attraction Committee appointed for next meeting comprises Sisters Dubois (chairman) and Smith and Carr. Among those present were Grand Lady of Honor Mrs. Mayon, Grand Recorder Mrs. Poland, Sister and Brother Tirrell and Brother Stewart of Silver Spray Lodge, San Francisco, Sisters Young and Brother Young of Silver Star, Temescal.

The election of officers was postponed until next meeting, as Grand Recorder Mrs. Poland stated that it would have been in violation of the constitution and by-laws to have held an election last Wednesday evening.

The Peoples' Express.

The popular People's Express Company has moved its office quarters into the brick building at the northeast corner of Ninth street and Broadway. The new location will be a convenient and accessible one for the public. The People's Express Company have always enjoyed a large patronage principally because their business methods have proved to be satisfactory and honorable.

Special Notice.—Our Lease Having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh street, by May 15th. Household goods sacrificed at half price. Now is your chance. H. Schellhass, 408 Eleventh street.

Monarch Baking Powder is the purest.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

"Big as a Barn Door."

BattleAx PLUG

For 10 cents you get almost twice as much "Battle Ax" as you do of other high grade goods. Before the days of "Battle Ax" consumers paid 10 cents for a small plug of the same quality. Now, "Battle Ax"—Highest Grade, twice the quantity. That's true economy.

NEVADA LIVERY AND BOARDING STABLE

Northwest Corner EIGHTH AND HARRISON STS
OAKLAND, CAL.
Particular attention paid to Boarders.
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Riding Horses a specialty. Telephone 418.
Hacks at All Hours. N. E. RIGNEY, Prop.

FOR RENT, ROOM 60x70 FT.
With or Without Power. Convenient Offices.
—APPLY TO—
THE OAKLAND ELECTRIC LIGHT AND MOTOR CO.
Cor. Second and Webster Streets

BROWN & McKINNON —OLDEST— Merchant Tailors IN OAKLAND.
We carry a full line of desirable staple goods and latest novelties.
. . . SPRING GOODS JUST IN . . .
Evarts Block - - - 1108 BROADWAY.

Waverley BICYCLES. LADIES' $75 MEN'S $85
$5 First Payment { Can you afford to be without one? { $2 Per Week
S. W. COR. THIRTEENTH AND WASHINGTON STS.

WINES IN THEIR PURITY
Are nature's stimulants—that is, when they are the honest product of the grape without adulteration. It is equally true of
BRANDIES AND WHISKIES
To be healthful they must be pure and fresh. We have reached out
FOR FAMILY TRADE EXCLUSIVELY—
Because we deal only in Wines, Brandies and Whiskies, selected for purity and value.
SEND TO US—
SEE US, or
TELEPHONE TO No. 59.
For a sample order. You will be satisfied.
J. J. HANIFIN & CO., Wholesale Wine and Liquor Merchants
417 FOURTEENTH STREET.

TRY THE NEW BREW OF
The Buffalo Brewing Co.
Ask your nearest dealer for it. If he hasn't got it, write, send or telephone us and we will see that you get it.
HANSON & KAHLER, Agts.,
Tel. 458. S. E. cor. 5th and Webster Sts.

THESPIAN TALENT.

Stage Struck Students Are Very Much in Evidence.

BERKELEY ON THE LIST.

The Senior Class Intends to Astonish the Local Natives.

DOINGS AT THE UNIVERSITY.

A Number of the Professors Off for Summer Vacations.

BERKELEY, May 28.—The senior class of the Berkeley High School will present Mrs. Burton Harrison's comedy "Two Strings to Her Bow" in Shattuck Hall on class day, June 9th. The cast will be as follows: M. Dumesniel, Mr. Hughes; Mme. Dumesniel, Miss May Howell; Cecile, daughter of Dumesniel, Miss Stella West; Contray, godfather of Cecile, Richard Hazeltine; De Leceval, suitor to Cecile, Mark White; Baptiste, servant, Carl Parker.

The High School orchestra will furnish music. Previous to the presentation of the play, the class historian, Ray Simonds, and the class prophets, Miss Jennie Ellison and Miss Thompson, will read the past and future of the class of '96.

AN EXODUS OF THE PROFESSORS.

There has been a general exodus of late among the University professors. President Kellogg has gone to Suisun for a short visit.

Director and Mrs. Magee of the physical culture department have started for the Yosemite, where they will spend the summer.

Professor Corey and a party of students have started on a tramp to Mount Ritter.

Professor Plehn has gone to Shasta County and will spend several weeks there.

Professor Elmer Brown will spend the summer in the Yosemite and so will Professor Letchel and Instructor Jepson of the botanical department.

Professor Moses leaves this evening for Chicago.

A CHINESE FUNERAL.

A little Chinese baby, the child of George and Nien Fong was buried from an undertaking establishment yesterday and interred in Mountain View Cemetery. The parents, who are Christians, desired to give their baby a Christian burial, but on account of the lack of funds, they were compelled to dispense with religious exercises in the church.

A JEWISH MISSIONARY.

Rev. Herman Warzawiak, the Jewish missionary of New York City, gave an interesting lecture last evening in the First Presbyterian Church. He was formerly a Jewish rabbi and he told the story of his conversion and the work among the Jews. He appealed to his audience for aid for the Jewish people.

A CENTURY PLANT TO BLOOM.

The huge century plant standing in the botanical gardens of the State University is preparing to blossom. The plant is about twenty-five feet in height and the stalk of the blossom is nearly eighteen feet above the leafy portion of the plant. The stalk is expected to grow fifteen or twenty feet more in the next couple of weeks and then it will blossom.

A MINSTREL SHOW.

The Berkeley Gymnasium Preparatory School for boys will give a musical and minstrel show in the assembly hall of the school this evening. The participants in the minstrel show are: H. Cornish, interlocutor; H. Squires, C. H. Mehlert, end men; F. Sharon, H. Belmour, A. Harvey, D. Harvey, E. Gundelfinger, A. Donnely, W. McDowell, F. Gusin, G. Cobelentz, A. Brune. The commediette, "Bengal Tiger" will also be given.

THE TALBO TESTIMONIAL.

A Choice Programme for Tonight at the Unitarian Church.

A soiree musicale will be given this evening at the First Unitarian Church. It will be a testimonial in honor of Ugo Talbo, the famous tenor. The concert will undoubtedly be one of the most excellent entertainments given here for some time, for all of the participants are favorites with Oakland audiences. Mme. Ada de Seminario, the soprano, who is the best dramatic singer on the coast, will give "Elsie's Dream," from "Lohengrin." Her voice is really wonderful, and her rendition of this beautiful song is magnificent.

Miss Gretchen Burnett, who is a singer comparatively new in musical circles, will give several selections, one of them being "Angels' Visit," a song written expressly for Talbo by Schira. Talbo made the song famous in London, where it was considered the gem of his repertoire. Miss Burnett will sing the song with piano and organ accompaniment. She will also give "Lirti Signor" from the Huguenots.

A quartette, consisting of Messrs. Clark, Bangs, Melvin and Carleton, will be sure to win favor with the audience. Adolph Auerbach will give several selections from famous German composers. Ugo Talbo will give several songs, and this is enough in itself to assure the success of the concert. Bernhard Mollenhauer, the popular violinist, is on the programme for several numbers. Hugo Mansfeldt and the violinist will render Beethoven's "Kreutzer Sonata," which is said to be exquisitely played by these two great artists. The accompanists of the evening will be William King, Mrs. Julius Crist, H. O. Hunt and Mr. Katzenback.

The grand finale will come in the celebrated quartette from "Rigoletti," and the singers will be Madame de Seminario, Miss Burnett, Ugo Talbo and Harry Melvin. With such a rich programme, the Unitarian Church promises to be crowded to the doors.

The Shirt Song

"COLORED BOSOM PERFECT FITTING NOBBY DESIGNS LOW PRICE."

NOTICE the elegant display of these shirts in our Show Windows this week.

KELLER & FITZGERALD,

Gents' Furnishers and Shirt Makers,

1007 BROADWAY, BET 10TH AND 11TH STS., OAKLAND.

LOOK FOR THE BLUE SHIRT SIGN

FOR WORK OR PLEASURE.

Grass Linen Supplies Work and Dainty Gowning.

Grass linen is furnishing the summer girl her veranda work, for from it this summer she will make drawn work handkerchiefs. Very fetching little bits of finery will they be, and very appropriate when used with the grass lawn gown which she will, perforce, be obliged to wear.

That grass lawn gown—how far reaching are the materials from which it may be selected. If one is forced to economy, she may secure the plain lawn at as low a price as 15 cents. Not quite so fine as one would have, it is true, but such as will make up into quite a pretty gown. Or, if one is able to pay a little better price, the plain material may be paid for all the way to a dollar a yard. After that come the stripes and dots, ranging from $1.50 to $3 a yard. Then the embroidered ones. They are delicate, flimsy, truly ravishing affairs, dear to the feminine woman, who foregoes the pleasure of having several gowns in her anxiety to secure one of these materials.

Not only are the grass lawns so bewitching, but the linings of taffeta are as fascinating as any woman could wish. And as though the shimmer of the silk through the lawn were not enough, lace must be introduced wherever there is a possible excuse, and a brilliant stripe of color is the result.

Another charming innovation introduced by the grass lawn gown is the ornament of batiste or grass linen embroidery. These ornaments are vari-shaped — crescents, symmetrical bows, Greek crosses, fleur de lis—and are used to adorn the skirts of grass lawn or batiste gowns.

Bay City Flour makes the best bread.

The best and coolest glass of beer in Oakland; pool and billiard tables. The Montana, corner Ninth and Broadway.

Girardo Company Tamales.

The Girardo Tamale Company of Thirteenth and Broadway, with factory in the Reliance Club Building continues to manufacture the finest tamale made in Oakland, or anywhere else. They are also sold on street corners. Try them.

Our Napa Soda lemonade is the best in Oakland. Boquet Bros., Galindo Hotel bar.

Above all others—SPERRY'S FAMILY FLOUR.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

L. S. CHURCH, Assignee, Plaintiff, vs. MARIA ANDERSON ET AL., Defendants. | No. 10,606.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 30th day of April, 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein W. R. Thomas, as receiver, defendant and cross-complainant, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against L. S. Church, assignee and plaintiff herein, and Maria Anderson, J. F. Anderson, Mary Kruger and C. L. Anderson, defendants, on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1896, for the sum of four thousand three hundred and ninety-eight and 87-100 dollars, including principal and interest accrued to the date of said judgment, costs and counsel fees and interest from the date of said judgment, which said judgment and decree was, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 236, I am commanded to sell all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the southeasterly line of Thirteenth avenue (formerly Walker street), and distant thereon seventy-five (75) feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East Fifteenth street (formerly Madison street); and running thence northeasterly along said line of Thirteenth avenue seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southeasterly parallel with East Fifteenth street seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southwesterly parallel with said Thirteenth avenue seventy-five (75) feet; and thence at right angles northwesterly parallel with said East Fifteenth street seventy-five (75) feet to the point of commencement.

Public notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1896

at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Oakland, April 30th, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
S. P. HALL, Attorney for Plaintiff.

POSTPONEMENT.

Public notice is hereby given that the above sale is postponed until Tuesday, June 2d, 1896, at the same hour and place.

Oakland, May 26, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
Commissioner.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of C. A. Seifert, in insolvency.

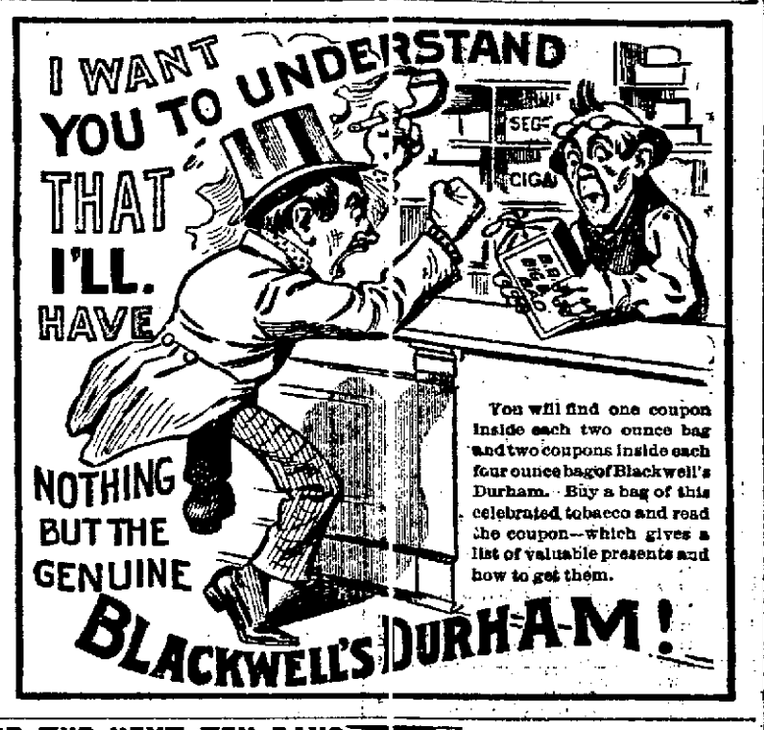
L. Guggenhime, assignee of the above named insolvent debtor, having filed in this Court his petition, praying for an order to sell the stock of drugs, chemicals, fixtures, etc., formerly used in the business conducted by said insolvent debtor at private sale or public auction.

It is hereby ordered, that Monday, the 8th day of June, 1896, at the Court-room of Department No. 2 of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time and place for the hearing of said petition; and that this order be published in Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, as often as said paper is published before the day set for the hearing of said petition; and that the Clerk of this Court forthwith serve by United States mail postage prepaid, or personally, upon all of the creditors named in said schedule, a copy of this order, as and for a notice of the hearing of said petition.

Dated May 27th, 1896.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge.
JOS. KIRK and M. MARCUSE, Att'ys for Assignee.

ADVERTISEMENTS.



FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS

A Large Water Color Portrait and one dozen Cabinet Photos For $3 only A FINE CHANCE DON'T MISS IT.

First-class work for almost nothing. Call at once at Studio and see about another special Premium Portrait that is offered in connection with above.

J. D. OTTNAT, 1119 Jefferson St., Cor. 13th.

GREAT CLEARING SALE!

"PRICES STILL LOWER."

There are yet $2000 worth of Fine Groceries to be sold at

A. I. SMILIE'S

473-475 12th St. near Washington

Goods will be sold regardless of cost as all must be disposed of within the next ten days.

ALSO—2 horses, 2 wagons, 1 road cart, 3 sets harness, safe, cash register, 1 coffee mill, shelving, counters, etc., will be sold this week very cheap.

A. I. SMILIE.

Dashaway Stables

F. R. WILLIAMSON, Proprietor.

370 ELEVENTH STREET

Between Franklin and Webster,

OAKLAND, CAL.

Livery, Sale and Boarding Stable

Special Attention Given to Boarders and Country Patrons.

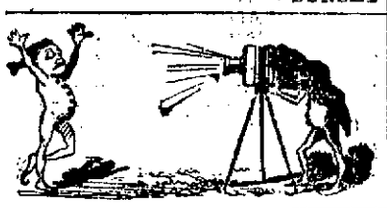
TEL. 645.

GO TO R. WICKMAN,

First Class Watch and Clock Repairing. 1251 Broadway, Above 14th St.

SUNSET DAIRY.

Our milk has been tested and found to have the Highest Per Centage of Butter Fats. Address orders to F. A. MORRELL, SUNSET DAIRY, Edith, Piedmont, Oakland



WELL TAKE YOU
YOUR BABY
YOUR HOUSE
YOUR FAMILY
YOUR GARDEN

WE'LL GO TO YOU ANY DAY YOU WRITE OR SAY OR TELEPHONE

GROUPS $3 a DOZEN SINGLE, - 50c UP NOVELTY FOTO CO. 865 Broadway

STARKWEATHER'S, 475 11th St. BUYS AND SELLS OLD BOOKS

Harper's, Cosmopolitan, Sanborn's Review of Reviews for 5c each. Complete Volume for 50c. Zell's Condensed Cyclopædia for $2.50. 10 volumes Americanized Encyclopædia Britannica, $10. 250 Envelopes, No. 5, for 25c. Perfection Linen (note size paper) ½ ream, 25c. One dozen Writing Tablets (letter size) 35c.

THE NATIONAL LEADS!

Leads in materials, workmanship and finish, Better take a look at it before you buy!

F. W. McPIKE, 234 SAN PABLO AVE.

JACKSON'S NAPA SODA 75c per Dozen, delivered anywhere in the county. See that Jackson's name is on each bottle. Tel. Main 1017. GEO. ADAMS, 318 TENTH STREET

IT COSTS BUT LITTLE TO READ GOOD NOVELS

Latest Periodicals, Stationery and Notions. All the works of Richard Savage at 25c.

If you call at the Right Place OAKLAND NEWS DEPOT, 470 SEVENTH ST

OLD SCANDINAVIAN DAIRY

PURE SWEET MILK AND CREAM

DELIVERED TWICE DAILY.

Send Orders to P. O. Box 632, East Oakland. S. NIELSEN, Proprietor

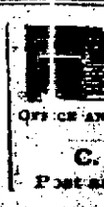
WILHELM'S FINE STATIONERY, PICTURES, MIRRORS &c. S.W. COR 12TH & CLAY. FRAMING A SPECIALTY. ART STORE, MOULDINGS, ARTIST'S MATERIALS, ETC. OAKLAND, CAL.

THE AMERICAN TEA COMPANY HAS BEEN OPENED AT 215 San Pablo Ave., bet. 16th & 17th

By G. A. HOLSTE, for many years connected with the Great American Tea Co.

BEST TEAS, COFFEE, SPICES EXTRACTS, CROCKERY

HALF the baby and all his baby beauty is fat. SCOTT'S EMULSION



Folding & Plain Desks

OFFICE AND SCHOOL FURNITURE, OPERA AND CHURCH CHAIRS.

C. F. WEBER & CO.

Post and Stockton Streets, S. F.

Summer Resorts.

Sisson Tavern, Sisson.

NOW OPEN.

Situated at base of Mount Shasta. Elevation 3400 feet; beautiful scenery; delightful climate. No poison oak. Guides furnished for ascent of Mount Shasta and camping parties. Stages leave tavern for McCloud river fishing resort. Terms, $10 and $12 per week.

MRS. L. M. SISSON, Proprietor, Sisson, Cal.

TAVERN OF CASTLE CRAG

QUEEN of all MOUNTAIN RESORTS

The Tavern of Castle Crag, the most beautiful, attractive and accessible of all mountain resorts, Will open for the reception of guests June 1, and will close October 1, 1896.

GEORGE SCHÖNEWALD, MANAGER

Room 59, UNION TRUST BUILDING, San Francisco.

FOUND AT LAST

The Best Camping Spot on the Coast—Most Beautiful Spot on Earth.

Dr. C. C. O'Donnell's Mineral Springs at Glen Ellen, Sonoma County, Cal.

The analysis of the water of these springs proves them the greatest remedy for lung diseases, liver, stomach and bladder complaints, rheumatism, catarrh, etc., in the world. The springs are 46 miles from San Francisco via the S. F. & N. P. or S. P. Ry. Co. Four trains daily. The bathing is healthful, luxurious and stimulating. Fish and game are abundant. The grounds are bounded by the Sonoma and Calabezas creeks. Twenty cottages of from 3 to 5 rooms are beautifully shaded by luxurious trees. Many pleasant drives are to be had in the adjoining canyons. Church on the grounds. Four stores, butcher shop, grocery, etc. Prices lower than in San Francisco. Eggs, 2 doz., 25c; chickens, $2.50 per doz.; butter, 2 lbs, 25c; pure milk, 5c per quart. Cottages furnished with stove, benches and table; $10 to $15 per month. Address

DR. C. C. O'DONNELL, AT HIS OFFICE 1206 Market St., - San Francisco.

THE BARTLETT SPRINGS

HAVE THE MERITED REPUTATION OF being one of the WONDERS of the WORLD, and seekers of pleasure and lovers of sight-seeing, as well as those in search of HEALTH, will be well paid by visiting them.

The Finest Summer Climate in California.

LARGE NEW SWIMMING TANK.

A Positive Cure for Rheumatism, Liver, Kidney and Stomach Troubles.

TERMS.....$10 TO $15 PER WEEK

Two Routes to the Springs, S. P. Co. and S. F. and N. P. Railway.

Address all correspondence to BARTLETT SPRINGS COMPANY, 22 Fourth street, S. F.

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF TRUSTEES

Reclamation District No. 82.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County and State of California, made on the 18th day of May, 1896, an election will be held on the 20th day of June, 1896, for the purpose of electing three Trustees for Reclamation District No. 82, in the County of Alameda and State of California. The polls for the holding of such election are hereby located at Riverside Hotel, in Alvarado, County of Alameda, State of California, and the polls shall be kept open from the hours of ten A. M. until four P. M. of said day.

For the purpose of conducting said election, J. L. Beard has been appointed Inspector and Phil Rohrbacher and B. F. Barton have been appointed Judges of said election, each of the above named persons appearing by the records of the County of Alameda to be landholders in said Reclamation District.

Dated this 18th day of May, 1896.

(Seal) HIRAM BAILEY, Chairman Board of Supervisors of Alameda County and State of California.

Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids and proposals will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County on June 1st, 1896, at 11 o'clock of said day, at the rooms of said Board in the annex to the Hall of Records in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, for the construction of three bridges in the Alvarado Road District in said County and on the road leading from Alvarado to Centerville; all bids to be accompanied by plans and specifications for the construction of each of the three bridges, together with a certified check for $250, payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of said Board of Supervisors, conditioned that the party will enter into the contract and give such bond as may be required by law; The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids as the public good may require.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of John Kelly, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of John Kelly, deceased, and for the issuance to James Daly of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 8th day of June, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 26th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
JOHN J. McDONALD and FITZGERALD & ABBOTT, Attorneys for Petitioner.

Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company.

Commencing on the 28th day of May, 1896, and during the time required to repair, paint and varnish our cars the service will be ten minutes.

Circulars giving the time at different points can be had from the conductors.

On Decoration Day the Eighth Street Cars will run to Fortieth and Grove streets between the hours of 8 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M.

May 26, 1896.

A. K. GRIM, Superintendent.

LEGAL.

NOTICE TO VOTERS!

REGISTRATION!

Office of the County Clerk, Alameda Co., State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

Of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue until 86 days before the next General Election, to-wit, to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor, without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk, at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits and when names are entered on the Great Register, postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.

(Seal.)

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1896 is now due and payable at my office, Room One, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his Deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemean and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ASSESSOR'S

Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 16th, 1896, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1896,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 16th, 1896, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1896.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County,
Oakland, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of Ernest Albert Nordhausen, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Ernest Albert Nordhausen, deceased, and for the issuance to C. C. Nordhausen of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 1st day of June, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 16th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
W. F. WILLIAMSON, Attorney.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of George Mills, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of George Mills, deceased, and for the issuance to B. McFadden of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 8th day of June, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 25th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

FOOTE RED-EYED.

He Is for M. J. Laymance for Delegate to the National Convention.

HIS REASONS SET FORTH.

Daggett and Irish Trying to Discredit Foote in His Own Home.

THE S. P. AND THE A. P. A.

Bitter Fighting Is Going on in the Third and Sixth Wards.

The Examiner and Call of this morning size up the contest now going on in Democratic circles here as a war between John Daggett and Bob Fitzgerald on one side and W. W. Foote and M. J. Laymance on the other. The ward enrollment is larger than it has ever been in the history of the county.

In the Third ward, which is the banner Republican ward of Oakland, the Democratic enrollment is already about 250. John P. Irish and Billy Mullins have formed a combination in the interest of the Daggett wing, while W. B. White, son of the postmaster, and Frank J. Moffitt are hustling for the Foote end. Daggett has said that he would knock Foote's head off if he (Foote) poked it up in this ward. Whether he will be able to carry his threat out or not remains to be seen. The ward candidates for delegate are John J. McDonald, who favors Fitzgerald for district delegate, and John P. Irish for delegate-at-large and the Daggett programme generally, and opposed to him is William B. White who favors Laymance for district delegate and the arrangement favorable to W. W. Foote Congressman J. G. Maguire and others.

In the Sixth ward there are six employes of the Mint, who are all anxious for the Daggett machine. The enrollment is very large and the feeling between the factions is very bitter. The Examiner has this to say of the contest this morning:

FOOTE SPEAKS OUT.

The Foote-Daggett war is concentrating more and more on the Laymance-Fitzgerald fracas in Alameda County. The Fitzgerald men there have been saying that they are not fighting Foote, and that Foote was really not in earnest in Laymance's behalf. But yesterday Foote declared himself in that fight and in to stay.

"I'm red-eyed for Laymance, if anybody wants to know where I stand," he said, with his usual emphasis. "In the first place my friends in the County Committee of Alameda County proposed that they should appoint one delegate-at-large to the State Convention and that the ward from which he was appointed should then be shorn of one delegate. Fitzgerald opposed this. He wanted the place himself. But my friends were in the majority, he withdrew, and I was appointed. When they moved to make the selection unanimous Fitzgerald's brother, the Labor Commissioner, Cleve Dam, his deputy, and Ole Vinzent, his henchmen, declined to make it so.

"Yet they say they are not fighting me. I know Daggett is fighting me, and I know that he is helping Fitzgerald. So I want it distinctly understood that I am for Laymance right down the line.

"I'm for Laymance because I want a solid delegation of anti-railroad, anti-A. P. A. men behind me, and I want a solid delegation to aid me in my fight against Daggett. What I want to go to the Convention for is to introduce a strong anti-A. P. A. resolution and a strong anti-railroad resolution—just as strong anti-railroad as Daggett would like to see it strong the other way. I believe I'm more entitled to a solid delegation from my own county than John Daggett is, and I believe I'm going to get it."

The Call has this to say concerning the fight:

FOOTE MUST BE BEAT

Stripped of all verbiage and told in a sentence the fight is anything to prevent W. W. Foote from going as a delegate to Chicago.

There are a hundred or more sidelights and grievances and personalities thrown around the central object, but the main point to be fought out at the primary to be held in this county on the 5th of June is whether John Daggett is stronger in Oakland and its environments than W. W. Foote. It has been called a fight between Prison Director R. M. Fitzgerald and M. J. Laymance, chairman of the County Committee, and a dozen other cloaks have been thrown over it, but when bedrock is reached the fight is between Foote and Daggett, both of whom are anxious to be United States Senator.

It is the current chapter of the old Stockton convention rumpus of many years ago, when Foote was on the Railroad Commission, and which resulted in Daggett being read out of the party by his political opponents. For several years after that Daggett was lost to the world politically while energetically employed insearching for gold in his Siskiyou mines. While Daggett was absent from the front Foote built up an anti-monopoly record which he has since maintained.

Closely allied with Mr. Foote throughout has been William D. English and his friends in Alameda County, including Postmaster J. J. White, P. E. Dalton, ex-Sheriff McKillican, ex-Senator Frank J. Moffitt, M. J. Laymance and others.

DAGGETT AND IRISH.

Supporting Mr. Daggett are John P. Irish, John R. Glascock, R. M. Fitzgerald and F. A. Fletcher, who is supposed to be the representative of Collector Welborn. Mr. Foote is a candidate for the National Convention and has a very strong hold on the political heart of Alameda County's Democracy. Daggett realized this, and as soon as he was installed in the Mint he carried the war into Foote's district and bestowed patronage where it would be most valuable. Even now some of Daggett's friends have expressed their intention to vote for Foote, but as they intend to couple their support of Foote with that of John Daggett and John P. Irish their friendship for W. W. Foote is decidedly neutral. * * * Daggett certainly has everything his own way in the First Ward, and as this is preeminently a railroad ward the Foote men are making the most of the point involved, as Daggett's influence with the railroad is presumed to be potential. It is said that Daggett has a block of passes at the Mint and that he has invited a lot of strolling delegates to Oakland.

W. B. White is the candidate of the Foote wing. He is the son of the postmaster and a hard fighter. The Daggett-Fitzgerald wing has nominated John McDonald, and he also is actively at work.

A BODY BLOW.

The rumor is in circulation that Laymance is a member of the A. P. A., but he denied this positively this afternoon and said it was a canard circulated to create a prejudice against him in certain quarters. * * * Mr. Foote lives in the Third Ward, and it is believed that a body blow can be dealt him if the candidate who favors his aspirations to be a National delegate most can be downed.

Altogether it is a very interesting condition of affairs, and whether Foote will be downed in his own home and given only negative support or upheld and given a positive support remains to be determined on the 5th of next month.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss May Lund of Stockton is visiting Mrs. R. E. Frosting of Nineteenth avenue.

Mrs. McDonald of San Francisco is visiting Mrs. Morrison.

Mrs. M. Trower is visiting her son, Charlie Trower of Napa.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Kenyon are in Napa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leechman are in Santa Cruz.

A. S. Corman is in Vallejo.

The students of the Berkeley gymnasium will give a musical and dramatic entertainment this evening.

Judge Woods who has been spending a few days in Moraga Valley is back again.

Mrs. C. A. Grosjean of San Pedro is visiting friends in this city.

William Decker and family start for Europe June 2nd.

Mrs. Dora Cramer and her niece Miss Belle Cramer, have gone to Monterey for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. White and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas will make a trip to Mount Hamilton tomorrow and will return Monday.

Charles E. White of Twenty-third avenue has gone to his mine at Pine Grove, Amador County.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Crouch and Miss Bertha Crouch have left Chico for the East. They will spend the summer in Minnesota.

Mrs. G. N. Easton, her daughter and maid, leave for their home in Chicago today after a four months visit with her father, J. W. Phillips of East Oakland.

A testimonial entertainment will be tendered to Miss Lotta L. Anthony by her friends at Y. M. C. A. Hall, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Ed. Edes, accompanied by her son, is passing a couple of months here with her mother, Mrs. Scanlan.

SLAMBERG THE WINNER.

He Beats Tye and Is Now Champion of the Coast.

Muller Gets the Second Place After a Rattling Hard Fight.

The finals in the boxing tournament at the Acme Club brought out a larger crowd than on the opening night. All the sports were there, and a great many who lay no claim to such distinction were also in evidence.

That the fighting was to be for blood every one knew, for the matches were to decide the championship in the lightweight class on the coast.

Tye and Slamberg, both of the Acme Club, had the only show for first place, as they were the two winners of firsts on the previous night. The loser of this contest was to be put up against Muller of the San Francisco Manhattan Club, Muller won one fight from Gooby previously, but also lost another, consequently he could not be in it for first place.

Early in the evening it was announced that Muller would not fight for second money, but later he changed his mind.

LOCKRA AND GOOBY.

The fun opened with a three round set-to between Lockra and Gooby, the latter the loser of the former fight with Muller.

The first round ended with honors even. Gooby received some severe punches and Lockra proved himself clever in ducking counters.

The second round was a repetition of the first, though Lockra landed some fine blows and cleverly eluded several more right hand counters. If any one had the advantage, he certainly did.

The last round was as uneventful as the previous one, but when the gong sounded Lockra had the better of it.

FOX AND DELANEY.

Jim Fox of the Acme next stood up for a three round exhibition match with James Delaney. This was a regular love feast, and both contestants were all smiles.

The first round was all in fighting and gentle taps.

The second round was a give and take affair, and by their gentle taps the men showed what they might have done if they were in earnest. The round caused much amusement, for while scientific it was all in fun.

The last round was just as amusing as the others.

When it was announced that Muller had decided to contest for second prize the house fairly yelled, for it was then assured that a decidedly interesting event was in anticipation, Muller having asserted that it was to be a finish or nothing.

HAMMERSLEY AND VICINI

Hammersley of the Acme Club and Vicini of the Olympic Club next entertained with another three round match. Both men were clever exponents of the manly art, but no good fighting was done, though the exhibition was pleasing.

TYE AND SLAMBERG.

When Tye and Slamberg stepped into the ring, the same officials that served on the former night took their positions.

A summary of the fight was as follows:

First round—Both men clinched frequently. Tye landed on Slamberg's wind often, and in turn took several pretty clips on the point of the chin and neck.

Second round—Tye got in some good body blows and Slamberg followed up with punches in the face. Slamberg landed heavily on Tye's wind, and then some close in-fighting followed. At the end of the round neither had the advantage, though Tye took considerable punishment.

Third round—Slamberg landed good face and body blows, and though Tye also got in his work, the round ended in the former's favor.

Last round—Tye cleverly ducked a right hand counter, and nearly had his opponent off his feet at one time. An exchange of blows and counters followed close in-fighting, but before any more good work could be done the gong sounded.

The judges awarded the fight to Slamberg, who now stands as the champion light-weight of the coast.

TYE AND MULLER.

The last event of the evening was one of the best. Tye, the loser of the former event, stood up against Muller, who made his first appearance for the night. Neither of the men loved each other any too well, and when the gong rang they came to the center with a rush.

First round—Muller took the offensive and landed a heavy blow on Tye's jaw; a clinch followed and then Tye landed lightly in Muller's face. Blows were exchanged in quick succession. The round ended in Muller's favor.

Second round—Tye started out for blood at the sound of the gong and got in some quick work. Muller followed up, but Tye came in heavily with a right hand counter on the jaw. Body blows and punches in the face nearly set Muller off his feet. The round ended decidedly in Tye's favor, and when he went to his corner he was given an ovation.

Third round—Both men fought shy for a minute and each was on the aggressive. A side counter staggered Tye, and he dropped to his knees. Before nine seconds were counted he was on his feet again, and then got in some fine face blows, but a right hand counter felled him to the floor again, and nearly put him out. However, he regained his feet in time and fought shy till the gong sounded. Muller won the honors in this round.

Last round—Both men fought in close, but before any hard work could be done it was evident that Tye, who had not recovered from the pervious right hander, was still dazed. A straight poke on the chin again mixed him up, and while staggering Muller came at him heavily, virtually settling the fight. Tye could not hold up his hands, and though Muller was anxious to knock him out, Van Court stepped into the ring and dragged the Acme boy to his corner in time to save him. The fight and second money were awarded to Muller.

The fact that Tye had already been engaged in a hard contest told against him, as with only fifteen minutes' rest he could not be expected to do as well as a fresh man. Those who know say that, despite the decision, Tye is the better man of the two.

To the Acme men who arranged the meet much credit is due. At all times the crowd was kept orderly and the sport was good. Van Court probably did more than any one else to contribute to the success of the meet, and is to be congratulated on the results of his work.

The "new woman" came in for her share of the entertainment. Two of them appeared, clad in wondrous make-ups. However, they happened also to be Acme athletes, and with the assistance of a couple of "gentlemen friends" performed some clever feats.

On May 30th the bantam weight championship contests will take place at the Oakland Athletic Club, and some good men will enter.

COMMITTEE WORK.

The Ordinance and Judiciary Board Holds a Session.

The Finance Committee of the Council failed to turn out a quorum last night and the Mayor's complaint of the City Engineer's expenditure of funds was not settled. Manuel, Buckland and Towle were the only councilmen on hand and as they constituted a majority of the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee, they disposed of what little work was before that body.

The matter of the license on the Davie wharf was laid over until the next meeting.

The ordinance placing a license on telephones and J. T. Wallace's complaint that two persons claiming to be pound men had wrongfully taken his cow were postponed for a week.

The resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for removing garbage was referred to Chairman Manuel for him to look over and report on the plans and specifications which were attached to the resolution.

The ordinances directing the opening of Fourteenth street from Market to Myrtle street and the grading of Sherman street were passed to print.

Court Notes.

D. Henshaw Ward has been appointed administrator of the estate of Fanny E. Shafter.

Margaretha Schneider requested that her son, August Schneider, be appointed administrator of the estate of Matthew Schneider, deceased.

H. A. Mayhew, Geo. A. Abel and Charles A. Taber have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the late W. A. Holcomb.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

English and Scotch TWEEDS

In our tailoring department we are showing a line of Sujtings imported direct from the manufacturers especially for our Spring trade. No other house on the Coast has, or can obtain the same goods. The patterns are select and make up handsomely. We guarantee the goods, the workmanship and the fit.

Our Bicycle Suits receive the same careful attention given all Our clothes.

M. J. KELLER COMPANY.

1105, 1107, 1109 BROADWAY, Oakland.

No. 19.

A CLEVER CLASS.

Mills Seminary the Scene of a Very Charming Event.

GRADUATING EXERCISES HELD.

Beautiful Decorations Were Displayed in the Hall.

A MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

Dr. Bartlett Elected President of the Board of Trustees.

Mills College was filled with happy faced girls yesterday on the occasion of the graduating exercises of the Class of '96. The many friends of the pupils and school were in attendance and thoroughly enjoyed the exercise. The day was warm and pleasant and the girls looked extremely dainty and cool in their gauzy muslin gowns.

The guests came early in the morning and spent the time wandering about the beautiful grounds and viewing the art exhibition. This year's exhibit of work done by the pupils far surpassed any work of previous years and shows the result of careful training.

The usual reading of essays was dispensed with this year and the exercises were of a more general nature. They were held in Seminary Hall which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The trustees, faculty, and graduates occupied seats on the platform which was artistically decorated with yellow and white marguerites and white Canterbury bells. The effect was extremely dainty and charming. The anteroom was decorated with great bowls of golden poppies. The class colors, gold and white, were used as much as possible in the color scheme of the decorations.

The girl ushers wore dainty summer frocks and bows of white and gold ribbon were pinned on the breasts.

The exercises began with a Scriptural recitation by the pupils and a hymn. Rev. Dr. Gibson made a short prayer.

Miss Julia Grace Gilbert, a graduate from the Seminary sang in an exquisite manner "In Dreams" and "March Night." Her voice was clear and sweet and showed the effects of careful training.

Miss Lulu Foster Howe, of the Seminary graduating class gave a piano solo; a gavotte and minuet of Huber's. The young lady proved that she had unusual talent. Her playing was certainly very delightful.

Rev. Dr. L. H. Hallock made an address to the class in which he pointed out the true aim of education, saying that the student must not be made merely broadminded but also high-minded. A true education, he said, embraced the teaching of the Bible and Christ. The graduates of Mills had the advantage of not only a liberal and broadminded teaching but of a moral influence tending to make them Christian women.

The Choral Class then sang Mendelsohn's "How Lovely are the Messengers" in a charming manner.

Dr. Hallock then introduced Signor Foli the famous basso of London who has been creating a furore in musical circles.

Signor Foli gave a magnificent rendition of "The Lost Chord," "Blow Thou Wintry Wind," "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep" and other songs. He received enthusiastic applause and was compelled to respond to the demands of the audience.

Mrs. Mills with a few graceful, kindly words to her "dear pupils and daughters" conferred diplomas of graduating from the Seminary on the following young ladies: Estella Bloch, Edna Vincent Brown, Rebecca Louise Davis, Olive Percy Davis, Julia Grace Gilbert, Mabel Hollis, Lulu Foster Howe, Ellenor Rose Mathews, Estelle Josephine Parker, Violet Alta Webster.

Mrs. Mills then conferred the College degree of Bachelor of Arts on the following graduates: Jessie Male French, Julia Florence Lee, Elva Deane Smith.

Miss Smith received a special diploma in recognition of her clever work in art.

The exercises closed with an informal reception being tendered to the graduates.

The Trustees of Mills College held a meeting in the morning and attended to the usual routine business. From the reports made, it was found that the College had never been in a more prosperous condition. The atendance is large and the greatest enthusiasm is displayed by the pupils.

Dr. Wm. C. Bartlett was elected president of the Board of Trustees and Rev. Dr. Coyle and Professor George C. Edwards were elected trustees.

To the Trustees were reported donations of $5000 from D. O. Mills, $1000 from Mrs. William E. Dodge to found a chair for Biblical study, and $1000 from C. Coe of New York. The graduating class presented the college with a Plymouth clock 125 years old, and the publishers of the college periodical, the White and Gold, donated $75 profit to the library.

Countess Wachtmeister's Lecture.

Countess Constance Wachtmeister, the pupil and co-worker of Madam Blavatsky, will lecture in Hamilton Hall, corner Thirteenth and Jefferson, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Subject, "A Conscious Universe and the Evolution of Man." Admission free.

The Bray Estate.

Edward M. Bray, son of the late Watson A. Bray, has filed a petition to be appointed administrator of the estate of his father, who died in December of last year.

Why He Asked.

"Been riding your wheel?" asked the whole man pleasantly.

The man with chunks missing from various parts of his person looked at the whole man fiercely.

"Part of my scalp is gone, isn't it?" he asked.

"Yes."

"A furrow has been gouged along one cheek, hasn't it?"

"Yes."

"There are bandages upon various parts of my body, aren't there?"

"Yes."

"Then why do you deem it necessary to ask me if I have been riding the bicycle?"

"As a delicate compliment to you, I thought——"

"Delicate compliment to me!"

"Yes. It seemed more courteous than to ask if you had been letting the bicycle ride you."—Chicago Evening Post.

An Orator in Trouble.

"Prisoner," said the Police Magistrate, "have you anything to say before I pronounce sentence upon you?"

The prisoner, a battered, bleary eyed pilgrim with whiskers that had grown an eigth of an inch since their last coat of blue black dye had been applied, slowly uncrossed his legs and rose to his feet.

"You can do what you please with me, I reckon, Judge," he said. "I was drunk and I was disorderly. There ain't any getting around that. But if I can be allowed to make a few remarks I should like to give a few of the reasons why I believe in the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1—"

But the officers hastily pulled him down. —Chicago Tribune.

A Wild Revel.

"Say," said the man with the correct clothes and the bowed back and horny hands of a farmer, to the restaurant waiter, "have you got pig jowl and greens here? An' buttermilk? An' cornbread? An' kin I shovel the truck in with a knife and take my coat off."

The waiter told him he could be accommodated in all particulars.

The ex-farmer removed his coat and sat down opposite a man who looked as if he might be willing to listen and explained:

"It's been two years now," said he, "sence we struck gas on the farm, and I ain't had a square meal sence. Been fillin' up on Charley horse Rusles, soofly de allakazan, an' all them French dishes ever sence. That's what comes of marryin' a woman who believes in keepin' up with the percession when you got the price, as she puts it."

"I should think you yould have rebelled long ago," said the listener.

"Would, but, you see, about three year ago I was so deep in debt that I had to put the farm in her name. I sneaked away today an' left her at one of them fine hotels. I'm goin' to have a orgie of old-fashioned vittels, sasprilly pop, an' mebbe a beer or two, an' go back an' tell her what I've did, an' ef she wants to git a divorce she kin git it. Old Eli will hev hed his day of freedom fer a few glorious hours anyway""—Indianapolis Journal.

Have just received a large assortment of early spring flowering bulbs. Now is the time to plant. H. M. Sanborn, 517 Fourteenth street.

Bay City Flour—ask your grocer for it.

When you are thirsty ask for the new beer of the Buffalo Brewing Co. Hanson & Kohler, agents. Southeast corner Webster and Eighth streets.

Special Notice—Our Lease

Having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh street, by May 15th. Household goods sacrificed at half price. Now is your chance. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh street.

Still in the Business.

Mrs. M. M. Bridges has succeeded to th business of her late husband, M. M. Bridges, at the same place, Sixth and Washington. All kinds of wood and coal on hand. Orders promptly filled. Full weight guaranteed. Telephone 364.

The Redwood Carpenter Shop makes house, barns and garden stakes—410 Ninth street.

Our Mother's Mush is made in Oakland.

R. J. Hunter & Co., furniture dealers, buy and sell on a cash basis. Their patrons get the benefit. Call at 862 Market st., Oakland.

Bay City Flour—absolutely pure.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

FOR Fine Tailoring

Perfect Fit, Best of Workmanship at Moderate Prices, go to

JOE POHEIM THE TAILOR.

PANTS made to order from $4.00

SUITS made to order from $15.00

MY $17.50 AND $35 SUITS ARE THE BEST IN THE STATE.

465 FOURTEENTH ST., OAKLAND.

201-203 Montgomery Street, S. F.

INFANT HEALTH SENT FREE

A little book that should be in every home. Issued by the manufacturers of the

Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk

N. Y. Condensed Milk Co.

71 Hudson Street, New York

Wall Paper Newest Styles

Lowest Prices.

JAMES CAHILL & CO.

PAINTERS.

303 TWELFTH STREET

THE BIG TEA HOUSE WITH 100 STORES

Gives Free

Beautiful articles richly decorated Also white porcelain and China ware. 3 cups and saucers, 3 plates, 1 vegetable dish, 1 salad bowl, 1 bowl, 1 meat dish, 1 salad bowl, 1 bowl, 1 meat dish, 1 honey dish, Custards, mustard pots, cream pitchers 3 table tumblers, butter dish, Sugar bowl, berry dish, rose bowls, Celery and olive dishes, knives, Forks and Spoons, 6 berry dishes and A large lot of other useful dishes.

YOUR CHOICE FREE With Each Pound.

50c TEAS, any kind, Colima Pure Spices, Colima Baking Powder,

—AT—

Great American Importing Tea Co.'s

MONEY SAVING STORES

917 Broadway, Oakland
1053 Washington St. "
131 San Pablo Ave. "
615 E. Twelfth St. "
1355 Park St., Alameda

SPECIAL

Auction Sale!

I am instructed to close out by auction, on the premises, NO. 508 THIRTEENTH ST., NEAR WASHINGTON ST., OAKLAND, commencing Saturday, May 23d, at 2 o'clock P. M., the entire Stock and Fixtures belonging to the business of M. A. B. Berg, deceased, consisting of FINE OIL PAINTINGS in heavy gold frames, by such artists as Hill, Wandesforde, Rodrequiz, Holdridge, etc., ETCHINGS, ENGRAVINGS, FAC SIMILES, PASTELS, ARTOTYPES ENGRAVINGS, PHOTOGRAPHS. This sale is peremptory and without reserve, as the store is rented for other business and must be vacated by June 1st.

C. W. KINSEY, General Auctioneer

T. J. O'CONNOR, AUCTIONEER

CHAS. H. WOOD

CORRECTLY FITTED

1001 WASHINGTON ST. OAKLAND.

CRELLIN PHARMACY.

Examination free. Spectacles and eye glasses, all grades and qualities. Oculists' prescriptions filled at lowest rates. Spectacles repaired. The Invisible Common Sense Ear Drums.

IF YOU WISH

To enjoy the day properly you must order your Sunday dinner from

L. C. BEEM,

New City Market,

S. E. Cor. 12th and Washington Sts.

—TELEPHONE 364.—

PUBLIC WEIGHING

Oakland's Heavy Weights

Are weighed on the Largest Scales in Oakland.

OAKLAND IRON WORKS

New Standard 15 Ton Scales used for Public Weighing.

SECOND STREET, NEAR JEFFERSON

STOCKER & HOLLAND

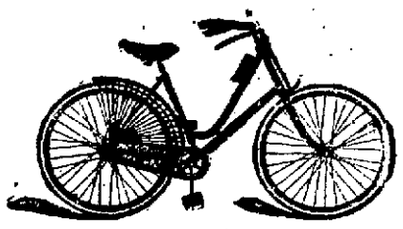
Searchers of Records

804 BROADWAY

Oakland, Cal.

BICYCLES

BICYCLES! BICYCLES!



Grand Clearance Sale

—OF—

SHOP-WORN AND SECOND-HAND BICYCLES.

WHEELS FROM $2.50 UP.

Now is the time to secure a good wheel cheap, as we are clearing out old stock.

GEO. A. FAULKNER,

Twelfth and Webster Sts.

The Popular Drug Store, 1101 San Pablo Av., will occupy this space with cut-rate announcements in a few days.

THE ST. LOUIS HORROR
is recited in detail by the splendid news organization of the Associated Press in this evening's TRIBUNE.

Oakland Tribune.

THOSE WHO TRY
Advertising once stay with it always. It pays.

VOL. XXXXI. OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 28, 1896. NO. 161.

DEATH'S WHIRLWIND

Over Seven Hundred Lives Lost in the Terrible Tornado at St. Louis.

FAMILIES SWEPT OUT OF EXISTENCE.

Estimates of the Damage Wrought in St. Louis Alone Figure Up Thirty Million Dollars.

FURIOUS FIRES RAGED AND COULD NOT BE FOUGHT.

Huge Buildings Leveled to the Ground and Eads's Big Bridge Demolished.

SHIPS SINK IN THE RIVER.

The Storm Cut a Trail of Destruction Through the Heart of the City.

ITS APPROACH WAS WATCHED

A Greenish-Hued Cloud Crept Up and Then Came the Fearful Hurricane.

One of the most terrible tornadoes in the history of the world swept over St. Louis yesterday evening, leaving a trail of death and ruin. The latest estimates show that in St. Louis and East St. Louis at least 500 were killed. In the adjacent country the death-roll foots up about 200 more, making a total of over 700. Thousands are injured. Estimates of the damage done in St. Louis alone range from $10,000,000 to $30,000,000 In the country the property losses are proportionately enormous.

THE TRAGIC TALE.

Detailed Description of the Horrors of the Tempest.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Two hundred lives snuffed out in this city, as many m re in East St. Louis, property destroyed in value running up into millions, is the record made by the 27th d.y of May 1896. This is a conservative estimate.

No possible idea of the number of people killed in the tornado that swept this vicinity yesterday afternoon can be made at this time.

South St. Louis is littered with the bodies of the dead.

East St. Louis is a gigantic cem-tery, under debris of the buildings of that city are scores buried, whose bodies will not be brought to light for many days, perhaps never.

It was the most disastrous storm from every point of view in the history of the southwest.

The storm did little damage in the business and northern portions of the city, save along the river front, where the damage cannot be estimated; nor will it ever be known just how many gave up their lives in the waters of the Mississippi when the tornado came down and tore all the boats in the harbor from their moorings.

The channel is full of wreckage.

In South St. Louis the storm spent its force. All the way from Papin street to Carondolet it put a stamp on the face of the city that will not be effaced for years.

Big, strong buildings fell before the wind like houses made of cards. From where it entered the city, out in the southwestern suburbs to where it left, somewhere near the Eads bridge, there is a wide path of ruin.

Factory after factory went down and piles of bricks and timbers mark the spots on which they stood. Dwellings were picked up and thrown in every direction.

Business houses were flattened. There was no chance for the escape of the occupants. The ruins covered bruised and mangled bodies that will not be uncovered until a systematic search is made.

Thousands of families in South St. Louis are homeless, practically, and the temporary hospitals shelter scores and hundreds.

Early in the storm the plant of the Laclede Gas Company, at Fourteenth and Poplar streets, was destroyed and a large portion of the central part of the city was cut off from its gas supply.

This affected the newspaper offices severely. In the Republic office no gas could be obtained to heat the metal on the linotype machines and the only type-setting done on machines in which the metal was melted by blow lamps. This accounts for the twisted conditions of the typographical department of the Republic this morning and also for its limited size.

The Scullin line will be crippled for weeks because of the blowing down of the power house on Greyer avenue.

Wires are down all over the city. Liggett and Meyer's big factory in Compton Heights is in ruins and many were killed and injured in the wreck.

Elevators were blown down, boats were sunk and churches and school houses were demolished.

RUIN AND DISASTER.

Day Broke on a Scene of Wrecked Homes and Death.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—When the sun rose on St. Louis and vicinity this morning it showed a scene of terrible ruin and disaster. Wind, rain and fire had combined in the mission of destruction.

Two hundred lives were lost in this city and as many more in East St. Louis, while thousands were injured, many so severely that they cannot recover.

The exact number will not be known for many days, perhaps never, for the debris of ruined buildings all over the city covers hundreds of human beings.

The damage and destruction to property will aggregate many millions, but the exact amount cannot be estimated with any degree of certainty.

The terrible tornado that caused this destruction struck the city yesterday afternoon at 6:15 o'clock, and all parts of the city and East St. Louis felt the effects.

The greatest damage on this side of the river was inflicted within a three mile strip along the mighty stream.

Many buildings totally collapsed, others were unroofed, while very few in the city escaped injury.

WATCHED IT COMING.

How the Storm Worked Up and the Way It Broke.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Hours of sultriness, puffs of wind coming by turns from all points of the compass, the flying hither and thither of light, mist-like formations across dull, dark-colored masses—these were the characteristics of the afternoon which brought to St. Louis the most disastrous storm in the city's history.

For hours the torrents shifted, the wind blew hot and cold, and the storm center developed. The fury of the elements was borne within the city limits.

In the west a thunder storm developed. The early muttering indicated nothing more alarming than a downpour with ordinary electrical accompaniments.

This rain cloud came up slowly at first from the west, beyond Forest Park.

As the black rim mounted higher above the horizon, its arc embraced more territory to the north and south.

A strong wind from the east began to blow right in the face of the storm. It was the lower current.

Suddenly the wind stopped blowing from the east and there swept from the northwest a terrific gale which made the best built structures tremble.

With the hurricane, for that was the first form the storm took, when it broke over the western part of the city, came a deluge.

From a few minutes before 5 until 5:30, this hurricane blew from the northwest.

Then there came a lull. The currents shifted. In the southwest there came into existence a storm cloud with the essential features of a tornado, a funnel shape.

This second storm burst upon the city from the southwest.

It came in on the south of Lafayette Park, struck the City Hospital and from there tore its way through the city to the river by a notheasterly course.

It wrought havoc that will leave traces in that part of the city, which lies east of Seventh street, and north of Cerre street to Eads Bridge.

Boats were torn from their moorings and capsized or went adrift.

The cloud crossed the river, demolished the upper work at the east end of the bridge, and then wreaked its fury on East St. Louis.

Shortly after 6 o'clock, with the sun more than an hour above the western horizon, there settled upon the city clouds so dense that daylight quickly gave place to the darkness of midnight.

That was the precursor of the tornado from the southwest.

The hurricane from the northwest gave the western portion of the city a severe shaking up.

The tornado from the southwest, which is responsible for the loss of life and the destruction along the levee district and in East St. Louis, followed the hurricane by about half an hour.

COURSE OF THE STORM.

It Swept Through the Entire City in a Wide Path.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—In St. Louis the destroyer seemed to have a course that lay chiefly between the railroad track and Lafayette avenue, though it swept the entire city, cutting a wide swath wherever it did any damage.

The complete suspension of the telephone communication and street car traffic multiplied the inconveniences and obstacles that beset the police department and added to the general discomfort.

There were few means of summoning ambulances for the removal of the dead or injured and these were carried to various places in wagons or on litters.

The city dispensary was overcrowded.

The demolition of the city hospital prevented the use of that institution and hundreds of persons hastened there to aid the unfortunate patients.

It was at first intended to utilize the armory or exposition building for the injured, but the old house of the Good Shepard was pressed into use.

The wharf was the scene of the worst devastation this side of the river.

Before the storm steamboats, wharf boats and barges were moored from Biddle street to Chouteau avenue.

These were swept from the fastenings almost in a solid phalanx and cast adrift. Some were overturned and sunk, others blown across and crushed against the other side.

The Anchor Line wharf boat and excursion boat were the only craft left between the bridge and Spruce street.

Both were shoved upon the bank, indicating the storm had a rotary motion, as all other crafts were blown in other directions.

Some were seen floating when the brunt of the storm had passed but in nearly all the upper works were torn away.

A SCARE ON THE RIVER.

Engineers Got Ready to Pull Out From the Scene.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—When the first evidence of the approaching storm began to appear, every engineer on the river got up full steam in order to be able to combat the elements.

Had it been anything but a tornado it is probable this would have aided the crews of the steamers in saving their craft.

But the onslaught was so violent that the crews found their efforts only sufficient to aid them slightly in directing the course of their boats.

The steamer Pittsburg of the Diamond Jo line, the steamer City of Vicksburg and the Providence of the Columbian Exposition Company; the Captain Monroe, of the Anchor line, and many of the smaller craft were pitched and tossed about until the final blast rent them from their anchorage.

The storm swept diagonally across the river and struck the Illinois bank with increased fury.

The loss of life in the water on the east side seems to be light, as everybody was cautioned not to jump and everybody was carried safely to land.

The City of Vicksburg is almost a total wreck.

The City of Providence was blown up on the Illinois bank, her rudder, cabin, and smokestack are gone

The Stt. Louis and St. Paul Packet Company's steamer St. Paul had started for Keokuk when the tornado struck the city. She has not been heard from since. She had a full cabin list.

The Belle of Calhoun and the Libbie Condor which were moored near Choteau avenue, were almost totally broken up.

The Ellen G. Smith, the Harbor boat, was blown away down the river and was wrecked near Arsenal Island. It is thought no lives were lost on this boat.

The steamer Ed. Harvester, of the Missouri Valley Transportation Company was also torn from its dock and carried down the river.

Many heroic acts were performed in the saving of lives as the result of the storm.

When the City of Monroe listed away from the anchor line wharf there were about forty passengers on board and a full crew, as the boat was just making ready for the trip to New Orleans.

When the moorings finally gave way the boat lurched over on its starboard side and nearly capsized. The movement threw nearly all the freight to the starboardside and served to hold the boat in its perilous position. Captain Viegler made a reassuring speech to the passengers, which slightly quieted the extreme excitement. He said they were all safe. When the boat struck the Illinois bank the captain was not to be found.

A tug had a marvelous escape from drowning when the boat was blown from its moorings at the foot of Washington avenue. On board were three men and two women, the latter Jennie Miller, cook and Emma Nolan, chambermaid.

When the storm broke the men were on the deck and the women below. The mate saw that the storm was to be a hard one and began to ring the alarm bell.

Then the steamer Dragon, which left its moorings, was blown out into the stream.

At the same moment the Dolphin's ropes parted and the tug began to ship water.

The wind blew her against the bridge While this was going on the women and the men on the boat climbed to the upper decks. When the boat struck the bridge those on board had to dodge to escape the iron work of the structure The mate saw there was no hope if they stayed on board.

Jennie Miller was the first to climb on the iron-work. She was assisted by two of the men while the mate stayed on deck to help Emma Nolan.

As she swung herself to the beams the boat drifted away and sank before the eyes of the horrified crew. Slowly with the wind blowing with a force that caused the big structure to rock like a cradle, the three brave men assisted the women on the laborious climb to the roadway.

Several times they were nearly blown off. They finally reached the railroad track on the bridge where they lay down until the full force of the storm was passed. Then they crawled to the Washington avenue station.

THE WATER FRONT.

Excursion Steamers Just Missed the Passage of the Storm.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Along the levee front hawsers snapped and boats were sent adrift, some to go down, others to go ashore on the astern bank.

The loss of life which might have taken place at this point was averted by the hour at which the tornado came.

A little later the excursion steamers would have been going out. None of them had left the wharves.

The other river passenger boats had gone an hour before, and although not heard from, probably had passed beyond the path of the storm.

The death-dealing cloud passed the river at such an angle as to strike and wreck the upper works at the east end of Eads bridge and to sweep part of East St. Louis.

Perhaps the most impressive evidence of the storm-cloud's force is seen in the wrench of the eastern end of the Eads bridge. There the tornado dealt with stone and masonry.

It tore off and tumbled down tons upon tons of masonry.

Beginning with the big eastern pier and extending to a foot of the incline, the cloud cut off the upper part of the structure as if it had been a flimsy trestle instead of a structure of world-famed masonry.

NOT HOW CHEAP, BUT HOW GOOD.
BYRON RUTLEY'S
FINE TAILORING AT REASONABLE PRICES
1167 WASHINGTON ST., NEAR 14th
OAKLAND, CAL.

DEEDS OF HEROISM.

Brave Men Who Forgot Themselves in the Hour of Peril.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Passengers on boats related many accounts of heroism performed by roustabouts.

On the Libbie Conger, which was ground to pieces on the Illinois shore, was Captain Zaman, his wife and child, a boy aged 5. When the storm appeared the negro took the child in his arms and plunged overboard, bearing the Captain's boy safely through the boiling waters to the Illinois shore. Captain Zaman rescued his wife.

This morning John McDowell, a roustabout on the tug Alliance, which is performing great work among the boats, which line the Illinois bank for miles down the river, returned to the city, burdened with messages to loving ones from fathers and brothers telling their safety. They reported the Madill blown to pieces and that the crews swam ashore. He thought every man escaped. He reported that the ferries at the foot of Anna street and at East Carondelet had been blown to pieces and sunk with the crews and passengers. This could not be verified.

Captain Pat Carmoody's presence of mind prevented a panic at the Fair Grounds. When the crowd appealed for protection from the tornado, Pat corralled the frightened people under the stand and forced them to remain there. He held a mob of about 300 in check, and it was lucky for them that he did so. Everybody was trying to get out and wanted to make a break for the south side stand. While Carmoody was holding them back, the roof of the stand was blown out and the debris fell just where the people wanted to go. Carmoody's good judgment saved many lives. Part of the roof landed on the natural bridge road and several bodies were buried beneath the debris.

Six unknown men were found in front of the Union Depot railroad power house badly lacerated.

Katie Filsinger had a broken leg.

The driver of Penny and Gentle's wagon named Fechtemeyer, was thrown from his wagon and had his skull fractured.

Thomas Moss, Secretary of the Fire Department, was picked up unconscious after the storm and sent to the City Hospital.

A BRIDGE BLOWN AWAY.

A Train Was Just Crossing and Was Turned Completely Over.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—While the storm was at its highest the passenger train of the Chicago & Alton Railway pulled out on the bridge from the Missouri side on its way east.

Engineer Scott proceeded only a short distance when he realized the awful danger.

The wind struck the coaches.

The train was about half way across The overhead poles were snapping and tumbling into the river, while large stones were shifting loose from their foundations and plunging into the water.

Realizing that any moment his train might be blown into the water or else the bridge be blown away, Scott put on a full head in an effort to make the east side of the shore.

The train had scarcely proceeded two hundred feet, and was about the same distance from the shore when the upper span of the bridge was blown away.

Tons of huge granite blocks tumbled to the tracks, where the train loaded with passengers, had been but a moment before.

About the same instant, the wind struck the train upsetting all the cars like play things. Luckily no one was killed but several were taken out severely injured.

The wrecked part of the bridge is just east of the big tower near the Illinois shore, and extends east about 300 feet.

The entire upper portion, traversed by street cars and carriages is carried away, while the tracks beneath are buried in debris, in some places eight feet deep.

FIRE ADDS HORRORS.

A Huge Warehouse and Factory Soon Wrapped in Flames.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The St. Louis Refrigerator & Wooden Cutter Company's entire plant at Main and Park street was destroyed. The plant consisted of a four-story factory, a four-story warehouse, a bicycle factory and several smaller buildings.

When the cyclone struck the plant there was at work between 400 and 500 men and women. The top stories of the warehouse and factory were blown off

Fortunately there were only a few people on the top floor and all but two are thought to have escaped with slight injuries.

One of the employes was seen shortly after the crash and he was positive at least two of his fellow-workmen had been buried in the ruins.

Fire broke out in the warehouse just after the top floor was destroyed. The panic stricken employes rushed pell mell from the buildings leaving many disabled behind them.

To add to their horror hundreds of pieces of heavy lumber from adjoining lumber yards came flying through the air and forced many back into the blazing buildings.

Alarms were sent in from all the fire alarm boxes in the neighborhood but the wires were already useless.

Chief Swingley happened to be crossing the Fourteenth street bridge and saw the blaze. He drove to the nearest engine house, and piloted the apparatus to the fire. By the time the engine arrived the warehouse was a mass of flames and the fire had already spread to the factory across the alley. The ground for blocks around were covered with lumber and brick and the fire plug near the business buildings were under masses of debris.

It was sometime before water could be secured and much difficulty was experienced in dragging the hose to the building.

The Chief hurried off after more apparatus and succeeded in getting several companies to the fire. It was seen that the entire plant was doomed so the main efforts of the department were directed toward preventing a spread of the flames.

At 10 o'clock the fire was under control, and at midnight it was practically out.

A. STEFFANONI'S STOCK

OAKLAND'S FINEST JEWELRY STORE
UNDER MANAGEMENT OF
HUGH MAULDIN

I am authorized to again offer for a limited number of days at prices NO GREATER THAN DEALERS PAY AT WHOLESALE, the entire stock of A. Steffanoni, 13th and Broadway, at private sale.

HUGH MAULDIN,
MANAGER.

Sale Peremptory. No Reserve. Terms Cash.

FIGHTING THE FLAMES.

Conflagrations Burst Forth in All Parts of the City.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—A few minutes after the cyclone passed fires broke out all over the city.

Alarms were sounded, but usually in vain, as the fire engine houses could not be communicated with.

The firemen had to pick their way through the blinding rain among masses of tangled live wires to the scenes of the fire.

Then many water plugs proved useless.

Rain helped materially to quench the fires, and by midnight all the fires were reported under control.

Firemen patrolled the city with lanterns all night.

At the burning of the St. Louis Refrigerator & Gutter warehouse several injured firemen had been taken from the wreck and three more were known to be in the cellar dead.

Three brothers named Hardy were dangerously injured.

It is said that probably 70 more were still buried in the ruins.

When the storm was at its height the gas holder at Eighteenth street collapsed, columns of burning gas leaping into the air.

Redsel's mill was one of the first to become ignited and it was totally destroyed at a loss of $150,000.

Harris Barrel Factory, nearly fifty loaded cars in the terminal yards, Lynch's boarding house, Heard's feed store, Lee's blacksmithshop and other smaller places were burned.

The destruction of the water works early in the storm cut off the water supply, and Chief Purdy and his men fought the fire with a bucket brigade as best they could.

The whole central portion of the city was threatened by the burning mill, but all hands worked with such a will that its further spread was prevented.

The fire caused consternation.

The fire added much to the loss account. The alarm system was paralyzed. The approaches were blockaded.

Fire added at least $500,000 to the losses of the storm.

Such a night of horror in St. Louis was never known before.

The hurricane came when the business center of the city had begun to send the workers to their homes.

Service on almost all the street railways was suddenly suspended.

When night came soon after the premature darkening brought by the tornado, no electric lamps blazed up.

Many thousands of men and women toiled homeward through the drenching rain.

Wires in the city are dangling from the

COAL OIL

The Purity of COAL OIL makes its burning quality. The High Fire Test makes its safety. Buswell's Palace Brilliant is both pure and safe.

BUSWELL PAINT CO.
S. E. Cor. 4th and Broadway.

poles. Every electric light circuit is shut off.

HIT THE POOR HOUSE.

Eighty Inmates Injured, but Most Miraculously Escaped.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The Poor House, situated at the extreme southeast limit of the city, suffered severely from the storm. The entire roof of the female building was torn off and flung yards away.

Large posts were twisted away from the walls.

The main damage was done by the destruction of the tower on the top of the Central Building. It crashed entirely through the building down into the basement. There were eight columns supporting the roof, and in falling these carried the floors of the buildings beneath.

Eighty inmates received numerous wounds from flying glass and bricks.

Incredible as it sounds, with 1050 patients in the building, 750 of whom are insane, not a life was lost at the Poor House.

The damage to the buildings is estimated at $100,000.

THE EAST SIDE.

Many Households Were Completely Wiped Out of Existence.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

EAST ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The sisters of St. Mary's Hospital kept no record of the injured received, but it is believed the number was over fifty.

Only a few were considered in a critical condition.

Two or three died after being received at the hospital.

In comparison to its size, the fatalities and suffering of East St. Louis greatly exceed those on this side of the river.

The larger part of the central portion of the city is razed to the ground, while on the flats along the river bank north of the Eads bridge, not a house is left standing.

The loss of life is terrible.

Scarcely one family seems to have escaped without some member being killed, while many households were wiped out of existence.

A conservative estimate of the dead there is placed at 150.

The Catholic Church, St. John, of Nepomic, was demolished, except the front, which stands like a tower.

Roy D. Moore, of the Vandalia freight, clerk, was caught in the wreck of the freight office with about thirty others. He was pinned in near six others who were all taken out alive. As to the twenty-five others, he could not say what became of them.

Mrs. Horace Trump was at the bedside of a sick sister with a year old baby in her arms and a four year old daughter near on the floor, when the storm struck the house. The baby and four year old daughter were instantly killed. Mrs. Trump is considerably bruised.

Standing on the viaduct bridge at midnight, one could hear the agonizing screams of the wounded.

At 10 o'clock last night a special train was sent to Belleville for fire engines to assist in fighting the fire.

INTO THE COUNTRY.

With Unabated Fury the Cyclone Moves to the West.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The storm, after working a chaos of destruction in South St. Louis, moved westward into the country.

At Clayton, county seat, the Presbyterian Church was leveled to the ground, and another church wrecked.

Part of the court house at Clayton was also torn down.

Houses were unroofed or totally destroyed in the path of the storm.

The cyclone struck eight miles north of Mexico.

Those known to be killed are:
Eliza Ware, daughter of J. G Ware.
Hida Blaz, 6 years old.
Eulah Miller, 9.
Rose Hodge, 6.
Son of Albert Knoeble.

IN ILLINOIS.

A Large Extent of Territory Is Invaded by the Storm

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KEWANEE, Ill., May 28.—A terrific wind and electric storm passed through this section early this morning doing great damage. Several people are reported killed.

THE SOUTHERN SECTION.

CENTRALIA, Ill., May 28.—The storm last night passed through south Illinois and spread destruction over a large extent of territory, west, south and southeast of Centralia.

New Baden a village on the air line railroad west of Centralia, was completely wiped out, only six houses remaining. Thirty-six lives were lost there.

At New Madrid, southeast of this city, seven persons are reported killed, and thirty injured.

The cyclone pursued an easterly course taking in the villages of Irvington, Rich View, Ashley, Boyd, Dix. Houses were blown down and persons killed in all these places.

It is estimated that in the counties of Clinton Washington, and Jefferson, fifty lives have been lost. All the wires are down.

IN INDIANA.

A Quarter of a Million Dollars Damage in One Town.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ANDERSON, Ind., May 28.—The storm struck this city last night, injuring several people, and doing $250,000 damage.

The buildings of the American Strawboard Company, Anderson Bicycle Company, National Tin-plate Co. and Presbyterian Church were blown down.

AT MOUNT VERNON.

MOUNT VERNON, Ind., May 28.—The tornado struck the southern portion of this city at 10 o'clock last night wrecking nineteen buildings.

Many people escaped death or serious injury. The loss is great and the relief force is securing aid for storm-stricken people.

WALL PAPER

Until further notice we will give 10% off on every purchase of Wall Paper to any person cutting this ad out and presenting it.

UHL BROS.,
420 Twelfth Street.

PENNSYLVANIA TOO.

A Rolling Mill Blown Down and More Loss of Life.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 28.—Columbia was struck by a cyclone at noon today.

The Columbia Rolling Mills has been razed to the ground.

One man is reported killed

MOMENTS OF MISERY.

Anxious Friends Search the Ruins for the Dead.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Voluntary rescue parties, squads of police and companies of the Fire Department are scattered about the devastated district searching the ruins for bodies.

Every few moments a sudden shifting of the crowds and signaling for conveyance told of a gruesome find, and the occasional immediate identification of the mangled remains by waiting friends added horror to the scene.

A SAD SHOWING.

Over Five Hundred Lives Lost in St. Louis Alone.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—(Bulletin)—The death list in St. Louis proper will surely be over 200, and may reach 300.

In East St. Louis at least 200 persons were killed.

The loss in this city is enormous, the estimates ranging from ten to thirty millions.

Laid out on improvised slabs, composed of coffin boxes, at the morgue this morning, were more than twenty five bodies.

THE DEATH ROLL.

A Partial List of Those Who Perished in the Storm.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUS, May 28.—Among the dead are:

Mr. Martell and three servant girls at the Martell House.

Mr. and Mrs. David S. Sage.

George Woods, clerk in Vandalia office.

Henry Spricker, Vandalia Line.

Dr. C. B. Hull, dentist.

Two children of Mrs. Horace Kump, of Litchfield Ill

Mrs Rickey.
Joe Frank.
Joe Mitchell.
Phil Strickler.
Miles Mitchell.
Charles Carroll.
Charles Kent.
Mrs. Scott Hayward.
Frank Ross.
O. Kavanaugh.
Jacob Kurtz, Vincennes, Ind.
Mrs. Bruce.
Mrs. Emma Sullivan.
Robert Bland.
John Reames.
Charles Walles.
William Burber.
Henry Winterman.
—— Anderson.
Peter Walmsley.
Miss Conley.
Mrs. Slide.
Flagman of Air Line, name unknown.
John Hayes.
Mrs. Pat Bean.
Unknown boy.
J. A. Porter.
Charles Waite.
William Surrer.
Mrs. Stock.
J. A. Porter.

L. Richardson, flagman for Vandalia Railroad.

Amelia Surrer.
John Reams.
Scott Hayward.
Peter Walmsley.
John Anderson.
Mrs. Bruce.
Emma Sullivan.
Jacob Kintze.
P. J. Strickler.
Michael Kildea.
Thomas Keene.
Bert Farrell.
William Farrell.
Frank McCormack.
Joseph Franks.

Ex-Policeman Thomas Griffin and family of three.

Frank Rose.
Robert Bland.
John Valentine.

City Collector David S. Sage and wife.

Phillip Strickler Jr. and mother.

Judge Faulk, Vandalia, Illinois.

Mrs. Martell.

All the boarders of the Martell House except Judge Hope of Alton, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes.
William Hayes.

All the boarders at the Tremont House, estimated at sixteen.

Myler Mitchell.
William Mitchell.
William Sullivan and wife.
Mrs. John Reed.
Patrick Dean and family of six.
John Buchart.
Edward O'Brien.
John Breen.
Ida Claddue.
Mrs. Roose.
Albert Vilkman.
—— Mitchell.
John Sullivan.
William Rickey.
Son of Mrs. Ida Keen.
Henry Winterman.
Jacob Koerbe.
Forty-one unidentified dead.

Infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. Beckman, crushed to death.

Benjamin Desila.
Alexander Chubringer.
James Dunn.
Francis Corrideguez.
Fred Wells, 3 years old.
Sarah Wells, 6 months old.
Mrs. Carter and child.
Peter Detrich.
Max Weiss.
Malachy McDonald, Superintendent Waters, Pierce Oil Co.
—— Jones, engineer, Aetna Iron Works.
Frank Fisher.
Emma Cheney.
Isabella Horn of the Sawyer Manufacturing Company.
Charles Handy Zimmerman, killed at the Union Depot Company's house.
Katie Claypool.

Unknown traveling man, supposed to be connected with Cincinnati Cigar Company.

In addition to this the bodies of four unknown men and two unknown women are waiting identification at Henner's livery stable and undertaking rooms and Kurwus morgue.

The body of an unknown woman was found lying under the Hellzey residence, Broadway and Rock Road.

THE INJURED.

Names of Some of Those Who Were Caught in the Disaster.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The seriously injured are:

John Bewiger, houseman at St. Clair Hotel.
H. C. Hall, engineer R. & O.
Mrs. Ellen Hennessy, 212 St. Louis avenue, chest crushed, will die.
W. H. Williams, assistant superintendent of St. Louis & East St. Louis Electric Railway; right arm broken, head cut and internally injured; will probably die.
Patrick Kennedy, internally injured.
D. Bender, Clerk Big Four; internally injured.
J. H. Bushanan, Howell, Ind., internally injuries.
J. H. McMann, head cut.
T. P. Elam, blacksmith, Vandalia, internal injuries.
H. C. Van Meetter, Baltimore & Ohio road, timber through thigh, will probably die.
William Hope, Big Four, legs badly fractured.
Mayor H. F. Badee, badly injured about the head by flying timbers.
Mrs. Horace Trump, internal injuries.
Bert Farrell, both legs cut off at the thigh.
Dan Kelly, crushed by falling buildings.
Joe Duffy, same.
William Price, same.
Baby B. Rower, 500 West Broadway, leg broken.
John Block, internal injuries.
Ambrose Horman both legs and left arm broken.
James Ramsey, same.
Four members of Armour family.
Frank Roff, Venice, Ill., internal injuries.
William Hops, thigh fractured.
Ed. Call thigh broken.
Peter Harris, shoulder broken.
Mrs. L. Hientel, 516 Missouri avenue, thigh broken.
City Clerk Jerry Kane missing.

The following laborers working on the four story iron frame at Liggett & Meyers' cigarette factory were injured:

Patrick Tracey, right hand torn off.
James Lahey, hurt internally.
John Toomey, internally injured.
Joseph Boyd, leg broken, spine hurt.
Mike Boyd, internal injuries.
Patrick Roug, internally.
James Lenahan, internally.
Michael Mulroon, internally.
James Lointhus, eyes put out, scalp wounds.
Thomas Griffith, hip injured.
David Lewis, head and body cut.
Caroline Rolland, internally.
Albert Platz, leg and ankle broken.
Albert Schute, leg and arm broken.

At the City Hospital, Harry Ottoson, Laurence Childress and Mary Finan, were all three badly cut and bruised.

Sixty paupers of the hospital were more or less injured.

Tom Carroll and Joseph Ireland sought shelter in a doorway and were injured by flying wreckage.

Abbie Turke of St. Louis and Julius Skaffer injured internally; not expected to live.

Harry Smith, Nokomic, Illinois, badly injured.

Charles Street, Newport, Arkansas, serious condition.

Peter Hal, seriously injured.

Maud H. Tinker, Danville, Wisconsin, believed to be fatally injured.

J. W. Tinker, M. I. Tinker, J. L. Tinker, all of Waterloo, Illinois, injuries, M. I. Tinker, serious.

Patrick McMahon, serious bruises on body.

Ben Brennan, badly hurt.

John Balkins, badly hurt, unconscious.

J. L. Holknap, contusion about the face and head, serious.

James Conway, badly injured about body and shoulders.

Pedro O'Connor, aged 11, run over by coal train driven by wind, leg crushed.

William Beckman, badly cut and bruised and injured internally.

Wm. Dousman, badly cut and bruised.

Mrs. James Creveling, found unconscious in wrecked home.

Charles Dunn, head cut, internally injured.

SEEKING THE DEAD.

Estimates of the Number of Lives Lost in the City.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Health Commissioner Strakloff two hours after the tornado passed, sent word that the deaths would reach 200 and no fewer than 1000 persons had sustained serious injuries.

By midnight reporters had visited all the stricken portion of the city and suburbs.

The list of dead discovered fell far below the first estimates, but it was long enough to be appalling.

Crushed beneath falling walls, hurled against the sides of buildings, struck by flying timbers, cut by shattered glass, shocked by the net work of wires humanity suffered in ways innumerable.

The names of all the injured will never be known.

Of the destruction of property there can be no satisfactory estimate given.

The loss in extent and in character is beyond conception.

In the flashes of lightning last night the city hospital looked like a ruin. The new surgical ward was partially demolished. Portions of the three other buildings were unroofed. The walls were cracked.

In the darkness the physicians began the removal of the patients to temporary quarters, fearful that the strained structures would go down in the general collapse.

There were 450 sick people in the hospital when the storm came.

Some gathered strength in their fright, and ran shrieking from the place, finding shelter on the outside. Thirteen were injured in one ward.

The Convention Hall and four courts were in the path of the cloud as it passed from the city hospital toward the river.

The Convention Hall lost part of the roof. Ten days' work and an expenditure of $5000 will make the hall good again.

A section of the brick wall of the jail went down and the prisoners were panic-stricken.

In the district between Sixth street and the river north from Chouteau avenue the tornado tore a path, every building sustaining damage.

Some gathered strength in their over, walls were levelled thousands of windows smashed, and miles of telegraph and telephone wires left in a network on the ground.

Through this district the streets are impassable. They are covered in places with debris ten feet deep.

TWO STORMS MET.

Report of the Weather Bureau on the Cause of the Disaster.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—H. W. Frankenfield, the local weather officer, said:

"For the past week the weather in the vicinity of St. Louis has been characterized by low pressure, high temperature, excessive humidity and prevailing southerly winds.

"The pressure has also been low throughout the west. At the same time, it was relatively high in the South causing warm southerly winds laden with moisture to blow from the Gulf of Mexico.

"This moisture has been held in suspense by the warm atmosphere and the humidity consequently increased from day to day.

"The temperature averaged three to thirteen degrees above normal each day while the humidity ranged seven to twenty degrees each.

"Wednesday morning the weather map showed a low pressure still overlying the west with a centre of depression extending in an irregular form from the Texas Pan-handle through West Kansas and Nebraska. Throughout the state of Missouri, high temperature and humidities prevailed with south winds. The day would be popularly termed, 'warm, hazy, muggy.'"

"Although reports are missing, owing to the widespread destruction it is evident the storm area moved slowly east during the day.

"The barometer commenced to fall at noon and at one o'clock it had fallen one thirteenth of an inch.

"About this time, the sky became overcast with dark, thickly cumulated strata, which by three o'clock formed a cloud which commenced to assume a light green color in the northeast This green cloud slowly advanced from the northeast spread more to the west and north and the temperature commenced to fall.

"The normal cyclonic circulation thus brought the winds of different temperatures and humidities into an upper position with the results that a decided instability was produced in the atmosphere and a violent secondary storm center was created. The barometer continued to fall rapidly and by 5 P. M. it had fallen two-fifths of an inch since noon.

"The winds were becoming variable with a tendency toward a northerly direction until lightning and thunder commenced at 4:30 P. M.

"At 5:04 P. M., the storm broke forth in all its fury. The wind changed suddenly to the northwest with rapidly increasing velocity and rain fell in torrents.

"The green cloud still remained in the west and north, but the storm moved toward the east with large angry detached masses of cumulus clouds crossing each other.

"At 4:15 P. M. the wind changed from the north, having the greatest velocity in the history of St. Louis.

"About 5 P. M., the wind had reached about sixty-two miles and later on, it changed in its direction to southeast.

"From 5:04 P. M. to 6:01 P. M., 1.53 inches had fallen in all.

"The electrical storm was of unusual volume. The sky was almost one continuous blaze of light and the clouds extended far into the south."

ARMY TENTS.

Temporary Shelter to Be Provided by Order of Congress.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The following resolution was presented in the House today by Joy of St. Louis and adopted:

"Be it Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled, that the Secretary of War be and he is hereby authorized to lend the Mayors of St. Louis and East St. Louis, under such regulations and restrictions as he may see proper, a sufficient number of tents to temporarily shelter such citizens as may have lost their homes by the tornado yesterday."

When the resolution reached the Senate unanimous consent was given to take it up.

Senator Vest said Missouri was able to take care of her people, and later reports had shown the first reports of the terrible calamity to have been exaggerated.

He said it would do no harm to pass the resolution, however.

The resolution was changed from concurrent to joint and passed.

SEEKING SAFETY.

Outgoing Trains Crowded With Hosts of Scared Citizens.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The Union station was crowded last night by persons awaiting departure of trains on which they intended to leave town. Railway business was virtually demoralized for a time.

Incoming and outgoing trains were detained or stalled for hours.

Communication over the railway companies' wires was suspended in several directions.

THE TERMS REFUSED.

No Compromise Effected Yet by the Congressional Committees.

SOME SICKLERS TURN UP.

The New Organization Insists on the Balance of Power.

CONFERENCE IS ORDERED.

The Date of the Primaries Is Changed to August 8th.

Shrouded in a veil of mystery and behind locked doors the new Third Congressional District Committee held a meeting last night which was of decided interest and will have material bearing on the political future. The strictest secrecy was maintained about the most unimportant details and when the session adjourned at nearly 1 o'clock in the morning, there was not one member who would give the slightest information as to the real happenings. Today a Tribune man visited seven of those in attendance last night to see why such rigid silence was enforced. No one knew anything. W. R. Davis who, although not a member of the committee, was one of the chief actors, said that nothing had been done except some talk regarding harmony. When asked if the old committee had submitted a compromise proposition he refused to talk.

Hugh Aldrich, the secretary, looked wise and solemnly stated that nothing had been done which he was at liberty to speak of, and others talked in a similar vein.

However, despite the secrecy, the cat is out of the bag and the committee did do many things. One thing which transpired, and a very important one, too, is that the members of the newly empowered committee are fighting away among themselves and the first harmony which must be restored will be needed in its own ranks. The split is over the method of a compromise proposition.

The entire proceedings last night were as follows:

The committee was called to order in the office of Col. Babcock by Chairman Friend and the following were present: Messrs. George C. Pardee, proxy for Anderson of Solano; Attorney Hill, proxy for Browning; Strowbridge, Babcock, Aldrich, Friend, Edgar and Sands W. R. Davis, Frank Leach and John Bell were also in attendance.

After roll call W. R. Davis, acting in the capacity of representative legal advisor or some such position for the old Congressional Committee, submitted a lengthy proposition from the committee whereby it could obtain representation. He spoke at length on the subject and while he formed the measure, told the members to form their own opinions.

The proposition was then considered seriatum. The first section which caused discussion was the required change of the date of primaries from July 11th to August 8th. Nearly every member had his say on this and when a final vote was taken it was conceded by five ayes to three noes.

Next came a request for a change of meeting place of the Congressional Convention from Vallejo to Oakland. Here the opposition was manifest, though after an hour's wrangle a unanimous vote resulted in rejecting this section.

The proposition to select one man from each committee, these to select a third and empowering this committee with power to name equally all election officers for the primaries, then occupied attention. It was stipulated that the third man was merely to cast a deciding vote in case the other two agreed. Everybody had something to say about it, but it was finally rejected, despite some protests.

Then came the matter of the selection of delegates to the Convention.

The proposition was to elect the representatives directly from the people in each district. It was finally agreed to have forty-seven polling places in this county and at each one representative shall be elected directly. The great register is to be used and no one not on it five days prior to primaries can vote. This was done to offset any stuffing, which had been rumored would be the order.

THE PROPOSED COMPROMISE.

The fight came on the proposition to give each committee one-half of all election boards in the county. This was to be arranged so that each committee would have a majority on one-half of the entire election boards, that is, each was to appoint one judge and one clerk and to alternate in the selections of inspectors. The talk and arguments which followed formed one of the features of the secret session. It was openly stated that if the committee acceded to this plan it would show that the members were afraid to exercise their rights, and for a time there was considerable feeling expressed. When a vote was taken, it resulted in a tie, 4 to 4.

Chairman Friend refused to exercise his prerogative to cast a deciding vote, so the proposition was rejected. This was a knock-out to the old committee.

The talk developed the fact that the new committee is willing to allow the old organization to have one judge and one tally clerk on the boards, but that the "primary" men intend to keep the inspector every time and thus hold the balance of power.

Another proposition was that the twelve members in each committee embrace the other and form one united body of twenty-four members, which should decide all contests, fix the rolls and attend to other necessary business. This was rejected, though its champions were in evidence. In speaking against it, it was urged that the old committee had given away all its powers to the committee to be comprised of county chairmen, and that it would be foolish to again recognize them.

Again a snag was struck when it was suggested that the powers of issuing the call be vested in the proposed committee of three, which was to prepare the document, hand it to the County Central Committee and have the word "resolved" written at the head. Then the County Central Committee was to issue it as its call. The little word "resolved" caused another hour's talk, though from general sentiment it seemed as though the committee was willing to have the County Central Committee issue the call, providing that it was arranged by the "Friend" faction in accordance with their views.

One strong effort was made to force the whole proposition through, and some members now have the suspicion that others are not sincere in working for the interests which the "primary" men arose to champion.

From general talk, it is evident that Edgar, Strowbridge, Aldrich and Sands are standing pat together and fighting for what they claim to be "the people's rights."

It further developed that the members of the Friend committee are willing to accord to their political opponents a fair and just representation, that is, according to their own estimation of the amount of honors they are entitled to, but it is said there is no inclination to go out of the business entirely as a Congressional Committee and give others the powers so hard battled for.

Just before 1 o'clock, when the discussion was at its height, Aldrich precipitated matters by moving to adjourn. This was not popular, but was carried.

The intention now is to meet next Wednesday night, when the new committeemen will have prepared a proposition of their own to submit to the old, embodying the concessions already made and giving an ultimatum on other important matters.

As it stands now, primaries are to be held in Vallejo on August 8th.

A matter which vexed some and scared others was frequently spoken of, and held over the meeting in the mythical shape of an axe. It was that if this committee did not come to some definite, harmonious conclusion, and call an election, that the State Central Executive Committee might instruct the various County Central Committees to issue the call after all.

As the matter stands, the committees are not only fighting each other, but among themselves, and the outcome will be interesting.

While this meeting was in progress it is said that members and interested friends of the old committee will assemble in the office of George De Golia, preparing plans and awaiting the verdict.

A FATAL RUNAWAY.

As a Result of the Accident J. J. Roberts Will Die.

A serious runaway took place this morning, which resulted in the demolition of a collector's wagon and will culminate in the death of J. J. Roberts, who was in the vehicle at the time.

Roberts was driving along East Twelfth street shortly before noon, when his horse took fright and became unmanageable. The vehicle was overturned at the corner of Twentieth avenue and East Twelfth street, where Roberts was thrown heavily to the pavement. He was rendered unconscious in an instant.

He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where Dr. Dunn pronounced the poor man's case hopeless, he also claiming that the base of the skull had been fractured.

Roberts is a man about 35 years of age, married and resides at 820 Thirty-first street. His wife was notified of the accident by telephone. Roberts was a collector in the employ of A. A. Baker & Co., manufacturers of picture frames, 772 and 774 Mission street, San Francisco.

Whidden Testifies.

Auditor Whidden was before the Grand Jury this morning, giving evidence in behalf of himself in the matter of the charges against him, which the Grand Jury has been inquiring into for some time past. It is believed that the fact of Mr. Whidden's appearance before the jury argues that the inquiry has almost reached the end.

The Smilie Case.

In Judge Ellsworth's court this morning the case of Smilie vs. the City of Oakland was continued until August 17th, to be set. This will put a hearing of the case off a long time. In the suit, the city is sued for the action of Mayor Davie, some months ago, attempting to open Harrison street to the water front through the property of the plaintiff.

NOTICE!

We are removing into the store next to our old location, where we are placing on the shelves one of the largest and most complete stock of shoes ever offered to the public. F. Senram & Co., 1002 Broadway, bet. 10th and 11th.

AUCTION SALE

Of Fine Parlor, Chamber and Dining Room Furniture, Carpets, Pictures, Etc., Friday, May 29th, at 10:30 O'clock A. M., at 576 Hobart St., Near Grove, by C. W. Kinsey.

Comprising elegant oak frame parlor suit of odd pieces, fancy rockers and reception chairs, parlor tables, desk, colored engravings, ornaments, chamber suits in oak and walnut, spring and hair mattresses, pillows and blankets, elegant oak side-board, extension table and dining chairs to match, iron beds, range with water-back, crockery and glassware, fine gas range with water-back, cost $35, kitchen tables and utensils, etc. Sale positive. Terms cash.
C. W. KINSEY, Auctioneer.
462-464 Thirteenth street.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Fine New and Second-Hand Furniture, Carpets, Ranges, Etc.,
"Modern" furniture bought or exchanged. Auction sales on premises. Call and see us. 462-464 Thirteenth street.

An extra choice lot of fruit, berries and vegetables, just what you want for Sunday's dinner, at Merriam & Co.'s, 1225 Broadway. Tel. 204.

Mother's Mush is a breakfast delight.

We make Saddles to order if desired, using best materials and finest workmanship. Prices from $12 to $30. Letters gladly answered.
FRANK C. HOWE,
Successor to Robt. J. Beeby
1064-1066 Broadway.
Tel. Black 1981.

Ho! For Sunset Park.

The SONS OF ST. GEORGE
Will Celebrate their Ninth Annual Picnic and Family Reunion
At the Beautiful SUNSET PARK in the Santa Cruz Mountains, on
SATURDAY, MAY 30.
English Sports, Races, Tug-of-War, Gate Prizes, Music by Fifth Regiment Band.
TICKETS, $1; CHILDREN, 50c.

LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF
Russet Shoes
JUST RECEIVED AT
G. C. HALLMEYER'S
24 San Pablo Ave.
Misses' Russet Shoes—sizes 11 to 2.....$1 50
Children's " " " 8½ to 11..... 1 25
Children's " " " 5 to 8..... 1 00
Large Photographs of interesting places mounted on Beveled Glass and hung with gilt chains, given away FREE.
Come and See.

A MIDDLE AGED French girl wishes a situation in a small family; is a good cook; wages moderate. Call at the French Bakery, corner Tenth and Webster sts.

TRIBUNE CLASSIFIED.

RATES FOR TRANSIENT CLASSIFIED
One cent per word for one insertion.
Two Cents per word for 3 insertions.
Two and one-half cents per word for 6 insertions.
Rate per line, one month.....50 cents

SITUATIONS WANTED.
Half a Cent per word for one insertion.
One cent per word for three insertions.
Two Cents per word for 6 insertions.
Tribune Publishing Company.
W. E. DARGIE, President.
C. A. DOYLE, Advertising Manager.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

PURE OLIVE OIL manufactured on the Thermal Ranch, Sunol. For sale by Levin Bros., Oakland and San Francisco.

PRACTICAL CHRISTIANITY—If you are interested in Divine or Christian Science, and would like to have meetings held in your neighborhood, please address C. S., box 2, Tribune.

MEETING—Oakland Spiritual Convention, Hamilton Hall, corner Thirteenth and Jefferson sts., Wednesday, May 27th, at 2 and 7 P. M. Lecture by Hon. H. D. Barrett of Washington, D. C.

RALSTON-KAFFEE is and is not coffee; Ralston-Kaffee has the aroma of coffee; Ralston-Kaffee is a nerve builder; Ralston-Kaffee is a breakfast delight. For information about Ralston-Kaffee address or call, Ralston-Kaffee Health Food Co., room 522, Central Bank bldg.

MARKET Station Ice Cream Parlors. Home made candies; ice cream made and delivered; bouillon 10c; chocolate and cakes 10c; 906 Seventh st., Market street station.

I WILL NOT be responsible for any bills contracted by my children unless on written order from me. Signed: G. H. Rowland, 1569 Fifth st.

MRS. M. A. CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and pinking. Lessons given in fancy work. Stationery, calling cards. Employment Office. Agency United States Laundry. 1215 Broadway.

NOTICE—To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."

HAIR can be saved, not grown; gray, falling, scales, itching cured. Specialist, 1010 Washington st.

FOR A FACT—Our lease having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh st., by May 15th. Household goods sacrificed at half price. Now is your chance. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming, shampooing. Mme. Demorest's face powder. Special price Thursday, facial steaming 50c. Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 411-412 Central Bank building. Elevator.

NOTICE the display of household goods at H. Schellhaas' Store, 20 per cent cheaper than former prices. If you are in want of a holiday present, see us at 408 Eleventh st.

ATTORNEYS.

A. A. MOORE JR.—Attorney and counselor, with Dist. Att'y. Court House.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices' Court building, SE cor. Broadway and Eighth sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and Notary Public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 206 Broadway.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law, office of Prosecuting Att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 861 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 531½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, Dist. Atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Black Silk Belt, with silver buckle, monogram M. C., between Brush and Myrtle and Fifth and Sixth sts. Return to 722 Sixth st. and receive reward.

FOUND—A lady's gold watch. The owner can have it by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Call at 1671 Pacific st., between Willow and Campbell, West Oakland.

LEFT on 2:30 train from San Francisco, three small bags made of fish netting. Liberal reward if returned to 470 Tenth street.

LOST—A gold watch last Wednesday in the neighborhood of Fifth and Lewis; flowered case with a black ribbon attached. Return same to 325 Eleventh and receive a liberal reward.

LOST—Saturday morning, a package of green and white ribbon, between Jackson, Durant, Frederick and San Pablo avenue. Finder please leave at 1389 Jackson st., Oakland.

LOST—Small round brown purse Thursday, May 15th, containing $15 in gold, silver and stamps; lost in the vicinity of Thirteenth and Fifteenth sts., between Alice and Broadway. Call for reward at M. S. Smith & Sons, 1154-58 Broadway.

$5 for information or return of red Irish setter, female, 5 months old, small white star on breast. 1009 Broadway.

LOST—At Market St. Station, Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, a black ostrich feather boa. Liberal reward will be given if left at Market St. Drug Store.

LOST—On Sunday last, cork elm cane, silver handle, snake wound; "E. E. W." and "1891" engraved on handle. Return to 1365 Eleventh avenue, East Oakland, and receive $2.50 reward.

MUSICAL.

A TEACHER of violin wishes a room in private family in exchange for lessons. Address C. F. W., 1205 Ninth st., Alameda.

BALDWIN & DURANT, banjo, mandolin and guitar. 4 lessons, 1 per week, $4; 8 lessons, 2 per week, $6; instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Studio, 1003½ Broadway, room 18.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four good Brussels carpets. Inquire at 920 Brush st.

FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents; come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

WANTED—Engagements by the day at dressmaking; $1.50 a day; suits made at home $5 to $7. Call at 533 Seventeenth st. Mrs. I. Kagy.

A YOUNG LADY wishes a position as companion for lady; good references given. A. B. C., box 2.

SITUATION WANTED by a young French lady to do housework; to take care of children; wages reasonable; references. 862 Franklin st. Call between 9 A. M. and 1 P. M.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; must be good plain cook; references; wages $20. Apply 1273 Sixth ave., East Oakland.

WANTED—Young woman to care for baby. Apply at 810 Twenty-eighth st., bet. 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

WANTED—Scandinavian and German girls for general housework, etc.; wages $15 to $25. Also good position awaiting competent cook; wages $30. Apply Mrs. Marvin's, 1153 Washington st., telephone red 2011.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—At 921 Broadway, room 10, immediately, 20 men, also 15 girls for housework.

WANTED—Men in every county to act as private detectives under instruction. Experience unnecessary. Address Co-operative Detective Agency, Nashville, Tenn.

WANTED—Boy to do office work. Apply at 908 Broadway. Reference letters required.

WANTED—A boy for grocery and to attend to horse. Apply 1020 Third st. R. Rademann.

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED—Men and women to work at home; I pay $8 to $16 per week for making crayon portraits; new patented method; anyone who can read and write can do the work at home, in spare time, day or evening; send for particulars and begin work at once. Address H. A. Grip, German Artist, Tyrone, Pa.

AGENTS—Here is a machine that prints signs in three colors on fences, bridges, sidewalks, any rough surface. Sell one in every store. Arc Co., Racine, Wis.

AGENTS WANTED for the X Ray Pipe Cleaner; absolutely new; only device ever made to clean straight and curved stems; simple, effective, easily cleaned; send 10 cents for sample and terms. Box 966, Philadelphia, Pa.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

MRS. CATTELL—525 8th st.; German, Scandinavian and all nations, male or female referenced cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc., awaiting work. Telephone 543.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

THOROUGHBRED MALTESE CATS for sale reasonable. Apply at 921 Filbert st.

FIRST CLASS Second Hand Washington Hand Press; also Eighth Medium Universal; thoroughly overhauled; cheap. Address A. B. C., Tribune office.

I HAVE a first class safe, double doors and four tumbler lock, that I will trade for groceries. Call at 175 Eleventh st.

FOR SALE—Due bill for lumber at the Oakland Lumber Company's yard; free delivery in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda; value $500; make me a cash offer. Jules Heugen, 621 Twelfth street, Oakland, Cal.

SECOND HAND Gas or Gasoline Engines, various sizes; guaranteed perfect order; bargain. Address W., Tribune office, Oakland.

WE MEAN BUSINESS—Our lease having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh st., by May 15th. Household goods sacrificed at half price. Now is your chance. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

OAK BOOK CASES—From $7 up; see the display of household goods at remarkably low prices at H. Schellhaas. We are bound to reduce our enormous stock within the next few weeks. Bed lounges, all new, from $6 up. Crockery, glassware, stoves, from $6 up. 408 Eleventh st.

FOR SALE—At reduced rates, lamps of all descriptions and styles; oil stoves, 75 cents up; have you seen our 50 cent lamp and heater combined? Just the thing for a sick room. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

HOTELS.

THE BRUNSWICK HOTEL, cor. Ninth and Washington sts., has 60 nice large sunny rooms, all facing on the two sts.; has just changed hands and all the rooms newly painted and papered; prices very moderate; a few nice suits to rent with or without board; the dining room is run by Madam P. Kientceu and daughters; clean nice home cooking; only $3.50 per week; 20c single meals; a challenge to all in town for the best meal for 20c. Mrs. M. Lamb, Brunswick Hotel.

MEDICAL.

MRS. DR. PARLOW, the most skilled chiropodist in San Francisco, is located at room 6, Hotel St. Nicholas, corner Market and Hayes sts. Reception hours, 1 to 5:30 P. M.

A BLESSING to ladies suffering from irregularities and diseases peculiar to their sex; latest improved method of treatment; never fails; perfectly harmless; free from any bad effects; never makes them sick to make them well; travelers helped immediately; prices to suit the times; home in confinement. Dr. and Mrs. Davies, 11 McAllister st., next Hibernia Bank; consult free. French regulating pink pills, $2.

DRS. C. C. & G. W. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 704 Washington st., near Kearney, and 765 Market st., San Francisco; office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., and 7 to 8 P. M.; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit; mortgages bought and sold; prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. F. McDonald & Co., 463 9th st., Oakland.

WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN on improved real estate at current rates of interest; usual current expenses. Hugh M. Cameron, broker, 479 Ninth st., Oakland.

WE ARE PREPARED to make small loans on improved property in North Oakland only, at eight per cent per annum, and larger loans on centrally located property at seven and one-half per cent. Hugh M. Cameron, Real Estate and Loan Broker, 479 Ninth st.

WE HAVE $1200 to loan on first class improved property at 8 per cent interest, and another sum of $1200 as a whole or in part on inside improved property at 9 per cent; larger amounts on approved security at lower rates. We can arrange loans on short notice and the current expenses will be as low as the lowest. Call or write to Hugh M. Cameron, Real Estate and Loan Broker, 479 Ninth st., Oakland.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 925 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos, guns.

Oakland Bicycle Dealers.

ADLAKE and HUMBER Bicycles. Hoag & Ferguson, 300 San Pablo avenue, cor. Seventeenth.

BEAUTIFUL BARNES. Starratt Bros., Agents, 422 Twelfth street, Oakland.

HALLADAY AND WOLFF wheels. Barrett and Dyer, 516 Twelfth street.

M'CUNE Bicycles. A. and M. Schleuter, Agents, 9th and Washington.

LINDSAY $60 Special; a select mount. F. J. Arnold, 522 Telegraph avenue.

RAMBLER BICYCLE for sale and rent. Geo. A. Faulkner, cor. 12th and Webster streets.

SPALDING, Columbus, Ohio, Credenda, Bicycles. New wheels to rent. 362 12th street.

STERLING Ed. P. Bagget — MUNGER 904 Br'dway — PREMIER Renting

SYRACUSE BICYCLES—The famous crimson rims. Renting and repairing. Steve Rice, 107 San Pablo ave.

COLUMBIA AGENCY—Wm. Clark, 102 Telegraph ave., next to Postoffice; sundries; repairing.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

GENTLEMEN—Nicely furnished sunny alcove suite, with washing and mending $10; board optional; also cheaper room. 940 Filbert street.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms with bath, hot and cold water, gas. Call 325 Ninth st., near narrow gauge depot.

THREE FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping; one single room; low rent. 613 Ninth st.

FURNISHED ROOM and Board for two gentlemen; $18.50 and $20 month; also two lovely sunny suites, cheap, looking over the bay. Brunswick Hotel, cor. Ninth and Washington sts.

FURNISHED ROOMS to rent cheap; all conveniences for housekeeping; central, near Broad and Narrow Gauge. 421 Sixth street.

FLATS TO RENT.

FLAT of four rooms to rent; 618 Sixteenth st.; rent $15; inquire 616 Sixteenth.

TO LET—At 671 Tenth street, flat of four sunny rooms for housekeeping; rent $10.

HOUSES TO RENT.

FOR RENT—A two-story house of six large rooms and yard on Seventh street, near Washington; rent $15. Enquire at P. J. Keller's Floral Store, 512 Seventh street.

BARN TO LET—Suitable for shop or stable. 910 Webster st. Apply next door.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

TO LET—In private family, large room with board, for two; man and wife preferred; prices reasonable; fine location; very best of meals. 753 Eighth st.

BOARD AND ROOMS—Pleasant rooms, with good board; best location in Oakland. 1168 Jackson st.

ROOMS AND BOARDING WANTED

WANTED—A home for two children, or a lady to take care of small house of three rooms and two children; good home for an old lady. Apply Thalia, San Leandro Road.

HALLS TO LET.

I. O. O. F. HALL, corner Eleventh and Franklin, recently renovated and decorated, for rent afternoons and evenings. Apply from 2 to 5 P. M.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR RENT—Newly papered Queen Anne cottage, six rooms, with large flower garden, at 1033 Magnolia st.; rent $22 50; also two-story eight-room house, 1955 Union st., corner Thirtieth st.; rent $9. See owner, 1021 Magnolia st.

FIVE ROOM COTTAGE at Oak street station; rent cheap. 123 Seventh; inquire next door.

FOR PROMPT RETURNS list your property for sale, rent or exchange, with E. Hill, real estate agent, 34 Donohue bldg, San Francisco.

A BARGAIN—Cottage of 4 rooms, lot 25x80 ft situated on Grove st., near 5th. Price $900. W. P. Ryan, 960 Seventh st.

HOUSES built; easy terms; best locations. Alden & Kronenberg, 902 Brdwy.

STORES TO LET.

TO RENT—Store 20x90 on sunny side of Clay, between Tenth and Eleventh, suitable for grocery or general merchandise. Rent $15 per month. Apply to N. W. Winton, No. 958 Broadway, bet. Ninth and Tenth, Oakland.

TO LET—Nice store, with three living rooms and stable; with large yard; rent $15. 28th st. and San Pablo ave.

DESK ROOM, Stores and Houses to let; rent reasonable. Apply 1116 Broadway.

STORES TO LET—An old established grocery store, just vacated, 1253 and 1257 Broadway, single or double as required; plate glass fronts; rent low. Apply E. A. Bushell, 1255 Broadway.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MADAME PARIS, Clairvoyant, has returned to Oakland and is now located at the Oregon House, 1156 Broadway, rooms 38 and 39; hours, 10 A. M. to 8 P. M. Ladies, 50 cts; gents, $1.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant; born with a veil; a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble; not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans; fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 615 8th st.

CITY REAL ESTATE UNIMPROVED

FRUITVALE Terminal Tract—Lots $150; $5 cash, $5 per month; superb location. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station. The McCarthy Co., 646 Market st., San Francisco.

FOR SALE—At Fruitvale, 3 acres of land in fruit trees, with a five room house, etc. Living spring of water. Price $2500. For more particulars apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 East Twelfth st., East Oakland.

DENTISTS.

G. L. SCHMIDT, Dentist, assisted by Dr. S. E. Hornef, specialist in crown and bridge work. Teeth without plates. Gold and porcelain crowns. Painless extraction and filling. Converse in German, French and Italian. Removed from 1115 Broadway to 1014 Broadway, Evarts building, second floor.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER Depot, C. H. Kucks, proprietor, 468 Twelfth st., Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

PIANO TUNERS.

R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland; repairing a specialty. 1059 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

OCULISTS.

OCULIST—Dr. Kohlmoos, Central Bank Building, corner Fourteenth and Broadway, rooms 420-422; hours, 9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 P. M.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary Public, real estate; houses rented. 472 Tenth st.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Good Jersey heifer calves, 4 or 5 months old. Address 401 Eighth st., Oakland.

REAL ESTATE.

LINDA VISTA TERRACE
CHOICE RESIDENCE LOTS
IN THIS SIGHTLY AND ELIGIBLE LOCATION
AT VERY MODERATE PRICES

LINDA VISTA TERRACE HAS EVERYTHING TO RECOMMEND IT AS THE MOST DESIRABLE OF RESIDENCE LOCALITIES—HIGH, SIGHTLY LOTS, PERFECT SANITATION, A DRY, HEALTHFUL ATMOSPHERE; RAPID AND FREQUENT ELECTRIC STREET CAR SERVICE, CLOSE PROXIMITY TO TOWN—ONLY 8½ MINUTES TO FOURTEENTH AND BROADWAY—FINE SURROUNDINGS AND WELL ESTABLISHED VALUES. IN ORDER TO PUSH TO COMPLETION THIS SEASON THE WORK OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, A FEW LOTS WILL BE OFFERED AT SPECIAL PRICES. NO CHOICER HOME SITE CAN BE SECURED IN OAKLAND, AND NO BETTER OPPORTUNITY THAN THE PRESENT WILL BE FOUND TO PURCHASE.

FOR MAPS, PRICES AND PARTICULARS OF

LINDA VISTA TERRACE

APPLY TO
HERON & HOLCOMB,
1050 BROADWAY, OAKLAND.
COR. ELEVENTH ST.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

C. K. MARSHALL—1118 Broadway; notary public and general real estate. House renting a specialty.

GEO. B. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built. 463 9th st.; telephone No. 224.

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 9th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent. 467 9th st.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public; money to loan. 958 Broadway, bet. 9th and 10th sts.

$3500—Business investment, store and flat; very close in on San Pablo ave.; best evidence of value is never vacant; present rents, $300 per year. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$15,000—One of the most desirable suburban ranches in the county; fronts electric road; the main thoroughfare; part in fruit, balance tillable soil; property is beautiful, having a natural elevation affording a grand view; has substantial improvements, modern two story eight room house, stables, also living stream of water; this is a $25,000 property; owner selling on account of going East. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3100—Two story flats; income $30 per month; choice central location; two blocks of Ninth and Clay; one-third cash. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$5000—Exceptional location for a home; Harrison st.; residence of eight rooms and bath; interior in nice order; hot air furnace; lot 52x150; flat mortgage of $3000, can remain; will exchange equity for good clear property or sell for cash at a sacrifice. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3000—Loan of $2000 just placed; new two story residence, eight rooms, porcelain bath, basement and tubs, gas fixtures, shades and mantles; never occupied; lot 30x100; see this bargain; only $400 cash; five minutes' walk of the center of the city. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$1250—Store with four rooms in rear and stable; lot 25x100; in two blocks of Twenty-seventh and San Pablo ave.; once refused $2000; will borrow enough to make terms easy. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth street.

$2500—Bargain; modern cottage of five rooms and bath; 33 feet of land; flat mortgage; $1600 can remain; location within five blocks of Fourteenth and Franklin st. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth street.

$2500—Two story residence of eight rooms and bath; Peralta st., near Eighth; fronts two streets; lot 45 feet frontage; reduced from $4500; property rents $25. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$2200—$250 cash and easy payments; modern cottage of six rooms and bath, near Twenty-second and Grove st.; lot 40x112. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$17,500—One of the most desirably situated residence and grounds, and opposite the handsomest improvements in Fruitvale; reduced from $25,000 to close up estate; any one wanting a twelve room residence, large fine grounds, should fully investigate the above; is going to be sold at a bargain. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3250—Here you are; just finished, and on easy terms to good party; new two story residence of rooms and bath; within walking distance of Fourteenth and Broadway; special arrangements will be made if sold before the 1st; investigate this proposition. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$1300—Building containing six rooms and bath; lot 25x70; one block of Oak street station; owner will take lease at $15 per month; this is cheap. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

$10,000—For four acres and eight room residence; without doubt one of the most desirable properties in the suburban parts of this city; convenient to Telegraph ave. car line; large frontage; barn, tank-house, gas machine, pumping machine; plenty of fruit and unequaled quantity of choice shrubberies and plants with years of growth; this property absolutely must be sold to save foreclosure of a $6000 indebtedness, which gives some idea of its real value. Laymance & Co., 466 Eighth st.

N. B.—The properties above are choice holdings, and many of them absolutely must be sold. Will be pleased to give full information regarding them. If they are not just what you want, ask or write for a list of other properties that we have not space here to mention. Laymance & Co., Real Estate, 466 Eighth st., Oakland.

REAL ESTATE.

AN ELEGANTLY furnished house with attractive grounds, centrally located, will be rented to acceptable parties for six weeks from June 1st during absence of owner, for $40.

FOR SALE—At large sacrifice, some of the choicest residences in Oakland and suburbs.

WE HAVE a few thousand dollars to loan out on good security at 9 per cent.

WE HAVE some customers for centrally located property at moderate prices, on installment payments.

IF YOU have houses to rent, especially cottages, leave the keys with us and we may find you tenants.
W. E. BARNARD & SON,
458 Ninth Street.

PROMINENT FIRMS
In Alameda County.

EAST OAKLAND

DRUGGISTS.

MELVIN & CO.—Corner Sixth ave. and East Twelfth st.; prescriptions carefully compounded. Tel. main 486.

WENTWORTH, C. O.—Apothecary; full stock of fresh patent medicines and sundries. Thirteenth ave. and East. Fourteenth st. Tel. main 783.

DENTISTS.

ALLEN, REGINALD H., D. D. S.—651 East Fourteenth; hrs, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

GROCERIES.

CRAFT & RUSSELL—Grocers; buy at home and save money. 552-554 East Twelfth, cor. Eleventh ave. Tel. 1011 main.

SMALLMAN & CUMMING—Choice groceries and provisions; fine stock; free delivery. Nos. 551 to 555 East Twelfth st.

MARKET STREET

BAZAARS.

GORDAN'S BAZAR—R. Gordan, prop; fancy goods, hosiery, stationery, toys, furnishing goods. 918 Seventh.

TWENTY-THIRD AVE.

DRUGGISTS.

CRAGIN'S PHARMACY—1154 East Fourteenth; cut rates our motto; Sarsaparilla 65c; Syrup Figs 25c, Castoria 25c, Porous Plasters 10c.

$1750—Beautiful lot 50x132½, situate on Union street near Central avenue, Alameda, in choice residence section; a bargain; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1250 will buy a fine building, lot 50x150, situate on San Antonio avenue near Walnut street, Alameda; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1200—A nice five room cottage, bay window, flower garden, chicken houses, etc., situate on Hannah street, sunny exposure, lot 50 foot frontage; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$150 cash and $30 per month, including interest, will buy a new modern house, containing seven rooms and bath, situate on Central avenue, Alameda, in a choice residence section, lot 30x125; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$2000—Story and a half modern cottage, situate in Alameda, on sunny side of Clinton avenue near Park street, contains six rooms and bath; lot 36x100; will exchange for Oakland property and assume mortgage; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$2000—Nice modern cottage of five rooms and bath, situate in Berkeley, on Channing way, near Shattuck avenue; lot 50x135; William J. Dingee, real estate agent, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$1500—Great bargain for immediate sale; 180x100, situate on East Twenty-fourth street near Eleventh avenue, East Oakland; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

$4650—Good modern two story house of eight rooms and bath, situate on Grove street, near Fifteenth street; lot 47½x80; a bargain; $1000 cash, balance to suit; William J. Dingee, real estate, 460 and 462 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

W. P. RYAN,
REAL ESTATE. NOTARY PUBLIC.
960 SEVENTH ST. TEL. RED 1993.

$3500—Must be sold before 25th of this month, as owner is going East, a new 2-story house of 7 rooms and bath; brick foundation; lot 23x132; situated only one block from Adeline station, north of Seventh st.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central block, 1063 Broadway, Oakland.

J. MAHER, M. D.—Physician and surgeon 1088 Broadway; hours 2 to 3:30, 7 to 8.

A BICYCLE CURE.

The following letter is self explanatory: "Gents: I was afflicted with laziness. Was so tired all the time I couldn't undertake to rest, for the effort it required. One bed or chair did me no good. I needed several at once. I ate nothing but easy victuals; breathed only half enough air, because it exhausted me. Finally my wife got me a wheel. The first night I split wood for her and now feel like a new man. J. S. Q."—Wheel Talk. P. S. Lindsay Gold Crown Specials are standard for style strength and service and don't cost you a small fortune either; $35.00 to $60.00 buys one. See them at 522 Telegraph avenue.

ALAMEDA AFFAIRS.

The Floral Fete Starts Up in an Elaborate Manner.

MANY MAGNIFICENT BOOTHS.

Excellent Entertainments to Be Given the Visitors.

AN OPEN AIR PRODUCTION.

Skilled Amateurs to Take Part in the Social Event.

The beautiful grounds of Captain R. R. Thompson on High street were opened to the public this morning and Alameda's Floral Fete commenced. The grounds present an exquisitely beautiful scene. Floral bowers are scattered here and there and are so arranged and decorated that they appear like the home of Flora, the goddess of flowers more than like anything intended for human inhabitants. Inside the floral booths, beautiful women, in airy summer gowns, offer for sale tempting wares. The air is heavy with the perfume of flowers. Each stand is decorated with one kind of flower as a mark of distinction.

The principal booths, and the flower by which they may be known, are:

Eschscholtzia — Methodist; director, W. T. Pollard.

Sweet peas—Unitarian; director, Mrs. R. Frank Clark.

Marguerite—Congregational; director Mrs. M. Ward.

Roses—Presbyterian; director, Mrs. Barton.

Pink and white geranium—Baptist; director, Mrs. Woods.

Ivy booth—A collection of curios and bizarre work of native Californians; director, Mrs. A. Sutter, assisted by Miss Parlser and Miss McCue.

Arabian booth—Catholic; director, Mrs. Rossiter.

Gypsy tent, Oriental interior—Miss Hopkins, well known as a fortune teller in local entertainments, will appear in costume.

The ladies served a dainty luncheon at noon today on tables prettily decorated with blossoms. The Presidio Band, under direction of Henri Fairweather, renders music during the day and evening.

The fete today has drawn a crowd of the most fashionable society people of Alameda, Oakland and San Francisco, and this evening there will probably be a larger attendance than before.

This evening there will be a gorgeously illuminated lantern bicycle parade, which will form at the junction of Central and Alameda avenues, at Benton street at 8 o'clock, and parade to the fete grounds. It is expected that the Acme and Reliance Clubs of this city, the Diamond Cycling Club of Alameda and the Olympic, Imperial, Bay City, Liberty and California Clubs of San Francisco will take part.

At the fete grounds there will be an open air concert of nations by a chorus of sixty voices, under the direction of Henri Fairweather.

Tomorrow there will be an elaborate programme. The ladies will serve a festival mid-day picnic lunch. There will be a promenade concert by the Presidio Band, a Maypole dance, a boys' bicycle parade and races.

"As You Like It" will be presented in the evening in the open air under the electric light, as the moon will be too late in rising. The performance will probably be an ideal one, as the actors and actresses are young, graceful and clever, and have been carefully trained in their parts by Mrs. Melville Snyder.

The famous Knickerbocker Quartette will sing the incidental music. The presentation of the play will be a fitting climax to a fete of wondrous beauty and splendor.

The cast of characters for "As You Like It" is as follows:

The Duke (living in exile), Mr. George H. Murdock; Duke Frederick (his brother and usurper of his dominions), Dr. J. J. Medros; Jaques, Mr. Frederick Maurer; Le Beau (a courtier attending upon Frederick), Mr. Louis Butler; Charles (wrestler to Frederick), Mr. J. Kitchen; sons of Sir Roland de Bois—Oliver, Mr. H. B. Phillips; Jacques de Bois, Dr. J. J. Medros; Orlando, Mr. Abe P. Leach; Adam, Mr. I. P. Allen; Touchstone (a clown), Mr. Philip C. Dibert; Corin, Mr. Louis Butler; Sylvius, Mr. E. C. McManus; William (a country fellow in love with Audrey), Mr. George Godfrey; Rosalind (daughter of the banished Duke), Miss George Elliot; Celia (daughter of Frederick), Miss Minna Terry; Phebe (a shepherdess), Mrs. Frederick Maurer; Audrey (a country wench), Miss Maud Russell.

A Bracing, Cool Drink
Of Fredericksburg Bottled Lager or John Wieland's Extra Pale is the best tonic. Order of your dealer. If he does not keep them, telephone us, and we will deliver them to your residence regularly. Deliveries all over the county. Oakland Bottling Company, telephone 223, 1417-1421 Broadway.

Do You Want
Carpenter work of any kind done? Want a fence built? Want a room partitioned? Want your house rebuilt? Want any carpenter work done? Then go to F. G. Jones, 1113 Webster street. He does the promptest work in Oakland; does it well; does it cheaply.

The "Delmonico."
The "Delmonico," the largest and finest restaurant in Oakland, is open to the public. Separate dining hall for families. Private rooms for ladies and their escorts. First class French dinner. Meals on the American plan or a la carte. Oysters a specialty. Service and cuisine perfect. Banquets and catering for all occasions. Catusich & Anderson, 475-477 Seventh street, between Washington and Broadway.

Are You Ever Downright Hungry?
For a piece of pure old fashioned molasses candy, or a dainty confection? Try Lehnhardt, he has the right kind. 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth.

Good butter is cheap now. We sell the best. Our milk and cream are the purest. We deliver and call for orders. Our telephone is 264. Jersey Milk, Cream and Butter Co., 1259 Broadway, between Fourteenth and Sixteenth.

The Redwood Carpenter makes fences strong. Go to 410 Ninth and you won't go wrong.

Note these prices: Splendid walnut bedroom set, cost $200, for $30; bookcase, cost $16, for $8; chairs, 25c up; beds from $1.50; bureaus, $3.50. Hunter & Co., 862 Market street, Oakland.

"My Cake is Dough."
Did not use Sperry's Flour.

Best whiskey for medicinal purposes at Pouquet Bros., Galindo Hotel bar.

Above all others, Sperry Family Flour.

Oakland Tribune

PUBLISHED DAILY (Sunday excepted)

413, 415 and 417 EIGHTH STREET

—by the—

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING COMPANY.

WILLIAM E. DARGIE, President.

Delivered by Carrier,

AT FIFTY CENTS PER MONTH.

OUR EASTERN OFFICE.

The Eastern office of The Tribune is located at 230 Temple Court Building, New York City. Complete files of The Tribune may be found there. Visitors always welcome.

E. KATZ, Manager.

AMUSEMENTS.

Oakland—"Tina."
Orpheum—Specialties.
Baldwin—"A Midsummer Night's Dream
Morosco's—"Metamora."
Tivoli Opera House—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Alcazar—"Little Lord Fauntleroy."
Bay District Track—Races today.

PICNICS AT SHELLMOUND PARK.
May 30—Caledonian Club.
May 31—United Lodges Order of Red Men.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. MAY 29, 1896.

Northern California: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday; colder tonight in northern half of the Sacramento Valley; light northerly winds inland; westerly winds on the coast increasing in force. Fog generally along the coast.

Southern California: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday; light northwesterly winds. Fogs on the coast.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday; fresh westerly winds increasing in force in the afternoon. Fog Friday morning.

ALEXANDER G. McADIE,
Local Forecast Official.

THURSDAY.....MAY 28, 1896.

The Record of Crime.

The diabolical crime of Blanther was not out of mind before another has been recorded more horrible that the other. James Dunham of Santa Clara County, killed a family of six persons including his own wife, yesterday. Either the man was insane, or he is a demon. He had evidently made preparations for his work, and had provided the means of temporary escape. But insane persons are sometimes cunning in their methods. One can hardly conceive how any sane man could commit such a series of murders without any apparent motive. If the man was actually insane to the extent that he could not distinguish right from wrong, then no crime was committed. But if there was so much sanity that he was conscious of wrong doing, then the crime of this man exceeds in the depth of its infamy any that has been committed in this part of the world for many a day. It is at least a charitable hope that the man was insane.

Could Not See It in That Light.

As was expected, it was not all a matter of course that the First Congregational Church edifice of San Francisco could be sold at the instance of the followers of Brown. Judge Slack before whom the petition for sale was pending, was a little too near the scene of the controversy, and so he called Judge Angelotti of Marin County to hear the case. One member opposed to the sale, said he did not think a $150,000 church should be sold to get rid of a $5000 debt. He believed the church should stay with the masses.

Thomas Magee, the rich real estate dealer, who was interested in the sale of the property, said that the land was worth $125,000 without the building, but admitted that the best offer he had received was $90,000. The proposition in effect is to extinguish the entire value of a hundred thousand dollar church edifice. Judge Angelotti could not see the case in that light, and promptly dismissed the petition to the discomfiture of the Brownites, who will probably renew the assault in some other form.

At Stanford University.

There were graduated yesterday at this institution one of the largest classes that had ever gone out from any college or university on this side of the country. The list of post graduates was also large. At Stanford and at Berkeley, the list of students who remain for post graduate work seems to be rapidly increasing. More students are drawn to Palo Alto from remote parts of the country than are drawn to the State University. Students are not encouraged to seek this institution from outside States, because the educational advantages are specially designed for students of California, and these are pressing for more accommodations than can be furnished at present.

The State cannot undertake to extend its educational advantages all over the Union. The Stanford University is on a different foundation. It can open its doors freely to young men and women from all parts of the country. Many of them leave other institutions and spend a year or two at Palo Alto. The list of graduates in this way is greatly increased. But they all properly count for the reputation of an institution which in its infancy can thus draw students from all parts of the Union.

A Series of Great Disasters.

The greatest of the series of disasters that has occurred during the last few months was that of the cyclone in St. Louis yesterday. It may be that the report of the loss of human life is somewhat exaggerated. But if instead of a thousand lives as first reported, only a hundred lives have been lost, it would still be the great disaster of the year. It is probable also that many other towns and villages were in the path of the cyclone, and that the record of losses will be greatly extended.

The fact that a section of the great bridge crossing the Mississippi at St. Louis was destroyed, illustrates the awful force of the cyclone. St. Louis is not a ruined city. The damages so far as they relate to structure will soon be repaired. The stricken city will have the sympathy of the whole country. No other elemental disaster, so far as the record goes, has exceeded this. The cyclone that struck Louisville was less destructive, and the earthquake that shattered so many buildings in Charleston was less fatal to human life. It is a comparatively unimportant circumstance that the roof of the new building in process of construction for the National Republican Convention was blown off. There are still two weeks or more before that convention meets. It is not probable that there will be any change made in the place of meeting, although circumstances now unknown might require some change to be made.

Great disasters come now in rapid succession. The cyclone ravaged some of the fairest towns and villages in Texas, and the record of the loss of human life had hardly been completed when another cyclone ravaged parts of Kansas and greatly lengthened the fatal list. Then there was the falling of a rotten bridge at Victoria; a disaster that could have been prevented if reasonable precautions had been taken. The smaller casualties which are only small relatively to the greater ones, are now of almost daily occurances. While the century seems to be closing without any great wars, the list of human casualties in these last days is almost as great as if we were living amid the tumult and destructive forces of war.

A Question Propounded by The Bee.

The Sacramento Bee is not quite satisfied with the correction which the Tribune made touching its statements about the denominational invasion of the University; and propounds this question: "But is it not a fact, gentleman of the Tribune, that the Christian Church is to be permitted to use accommodations within the University grounds and in a University building, too, until such time as it can erect its own structure?" No, to the best of our knowledge it is not a fact. The statement made in some report was so papably incorrect that it did not seem to need any notice.

There is not a Regent in the Board who would vote to make any such unlawful concession. There are several fraternity houses outside of the grounds which are not owned by the University, and over which that institution has no control. It is possible that one of these might be occupied for a short time for denominational purposes, although we have no knowledge of any such arrangement. Even if it were made there would be no trenching upon the University. It owns no property in Berkeley outside of its own institutional grounds. This line of demarcation ought to be clearly understood. The Bee is assured that the Tribune would be the first to raise a warning note if the case were otherwise than as here represented.

TWO BANKRUPTCY BILLS.

Senator Perkins Sends a Letter to the Board of Trade.

The Matter Will Not Be Disposed of During This Session.

The following letter was received today:

UNITED STATES SENATE,
Washington, D. C., May 18, 1896.

M. J. Keller, Esq., H. O. Trowbridge, Esq., Oakland Board of Trade, Oakland, Cal:—

Gentlemen: Your letter of May 11th was received yesterday. There are two bankruptcy bills before Congress at present, one introduced in the Senate and the other in the House, but practically the same measure. The debate on the House bill has been very long and very exhaustive, and the Senate bill will consume fully as much time in debating it. Owing to the short time that remains before adjournment it is not likely that the matter will be finally disposed of by the present session.

The importance and necessity for legislation of this kind is recognized, and the measure proposed will receive most careful attention by me. I have not yet had time, owing to the press of other important business, to study the measures presented so as to be able to form an opinion as to their merits. But in so doing I will bear in mind the wishes of your Board and the facts that have been set forth in the letter. I remain very truly yours.

GEORGE C. PERKINS.

Lutheran Lectures.

At the Men's Luther League social held at the English Lutheran Church last evening, seven distinct languages were used to illustrate the polyglot of international relations of the church. The meeting was gracefully conducted by the League President, Mr. A. E. Fox, assisted by H. Rief, the Secretary. The chief address was made by Mrs. Nico Beck-Meyer, a distinguished Lutheran lady of Copenhagen, Denmark, who recently delivered a course of lectures on Scandinavian literature at Stanford University. This honored lady, who represented the three kingdoms of Denmark, Norway and Sweden at the Lutheran Women's International Congress in Chicago, will deliver an address for the enjoyment of the general public at the Lutheran Church, corner Grove and Sixteenth streets, Sunday, June 7th.

Off to Japan.

The Lick Observatory eclipse expedition leaves this afternoon on the steamer Belgic for Japan. The party consists of J. M. Schaeberle, senior astronomer at the Lick Observatory; Professor Charles Burckhalter, astronomer of the Chabot Observatory; Louis C. Masten of San Francisco and Dr. A. G. Shuey of this city. The party will view the eclipse from some point inland from Kushiro, on the island of Yezo, the exact location to be decided upon later. All the members of the expedition are members of the Astronomers' Society of the Pacific.

Broke His Arm.

John Sousa, a boy residing at 508 Third street, broke his arm yesterday evening while exercising on parallel bars at the Harrison School. The injured member was set at the Receiving Hospital.

Telling Time by the Sun.

"Plenty of people can tell time by the sun," said one of the Ogallala Indian chiefs now here on departmental business, "but even our boys and girls can tell the time by the stars. You have to stand in a particular place, and to be accurate about the same place each night. In a little time any one can learn about how fast a star moves. Having a start from a watch, clock, or from sundown, it is easy enough to calculate the time all during the night. Of course it won't work on cloudy nights, as the sunshine telling does not work during cloudy days, but for all ordinary occasions it is rarely that an Indian ever looks at a watch or clock, even if he has one, which is very seldom, and the Indian children never.—Washington Star.

ABLE MANAGEMENT.

Complete Arrangements for the Memorial Day Exercises.

AN IMPOSING PROCESSION.

A Down-Town Parade 'Ere Proceeding to the Cemetery.

THE GRAVESIDE CEREMONIES.

An Enormous Crowd Will Throng to Mountain View.

The following order has been issued in connection with the Memorial Day parade:

Headquarters Grand Marshal's Office
Oakland, Cal., May 27, 1896.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1.

1. The several organizations that are to participate in the parade and Memorial exercises on Memorial Day, May 30, 1896, are ordered to assemble at the following places and to report promptly at 9:30 o'clock A. M. to the commanders of their respective divisions:

The following aids are hereby appointed and will report to the Grand Marshal at the corner of Third and Broadway promptly at 9 o'clock A. M.:

Charles E. Lancaster, chief of staff; W. R. Thomas, commanding first division; Frank W. Cushing, commanding second division.

Aids—Colonel J. P. Abbott, George H. Collins, S. S. Pettit, F. M. Farwell, J. S. White.

The chief of staff, division commanders and aids will report, mounted, to the Grand Marshal at the corner of Third and Broadway at 9 o'clock A. M.

The commanders of divisions will wear the G. A. R. regulation hat, sword and belt and red sash.

The aids, G. A. R. regulation hat and blue sash.

FORMATION OF PARADE.

Platoon of police will report to C. E. Lancaster, chief of staff, at 9:30 A. M. at the corner of Third and Broadway.

First division, W. R. Thomas commanding, composed of three companies of the National Guards of California.

The various posts of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The Sons of Veterans.

The carriages containing the Mayor and invited guests, will form on Third street in the following order promptly at 9:30 A. M.:

The National Guards on Third street, west of Broadway, with their right resting on Broadway.

The Posts of the Grand Army of the Republic will form on Third street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on Broadway.

The Sons of Veterans will form on Third street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on the Grand Army of the Republic.

The carriages will form on Broadway immediately south of Third street.

Second division, Frank W. Cushing commanding, composed of the Second Regiment Boys' Brigade.

Clan McDonald No. 79, Order of Scottish Clans.

General George A. Custer Council No. 22, Junior Order United American Mechanics.

Patriarch Militant, uniformed rank, I. O. O. F.

The Second Regiment Boys' Brigade will form on Fourth street, west of Broadway, with their right resting on Broadway.

Clan McDonald No. 79 will form on Fourth street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on Broadway.

The Patriarch Militant will form on Fourth street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on Clan McDonald.

Junior Order of the United American Mechanics will form on Fourth street, east of Broadway, with their right resting on Patriarch Militant.

ORDER OF PARADE.

Chief of Police C. E. Lloyd commanding advance guard of police.

Grand Marshal and Staff.

Commander of first division, Captain W. R. Thomas, and staff.

Fifth Regiment Band.

Second Battalion, Fifth Regiment Infantry, N. G. C., Major J. F. Hayes Commanding.

Company A, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., Capt. C. T. Poulter commanding.

Company F, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., Capt. G. H. Wethern commanding.

Company G, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., Capt. W. F. Chipman commanding.

Grand Army of the Republic—Joe Hooker Post No. 11, Colonel Babcock commanding.

Appomattox Post No. 50, T. J. Pierce Commander.

Lookout Mountain Post No. 88, Comrade Gilbert, Commander.

Drum Corps.

Admiral D. D. Porter Post No. 169, John R. Scupham, Commander.

Sons of Veterans, Colonel E. D. Baker Camp No. 5.

The second division, Frank W. Cushing commanding.

Boys' Brigade Band.

Second Regiment Boys' Brigade, Colonel E. J. Walker commanding.

First Battalion, Major A. W. Taylor Commanding.

Second Battalion, Major S. N. Cobbledick commanding.

Clan McDonald No. 79, Order of Scottish Clans.

Canton Oakland No. 11 Patriarch Militant, I. O. O. F., F. B. Ogden commanding.

General George A. Custer Council No. 22, Junior Order United American Mechanics.

The parade will move promptly at 10 o'clock.

THE LINE OF MARCH.

On Broadway to Eighth, to Washington, to Fourteenth, to Broadway, on Broadway to Seventh, countermarch to Sixteenth, where cars will be held in reserve for those taking part in the parade.

The parade will re-form in the same order at the cemetery gates with the least possible delay, and move to the G. A. R. burial plot.

AT THE CEMETERY.

The order at the cemetery will be as follows:

Music, Fifth Regiment Band.
Invocation, Rev. James Curry.
Flag salute, forty scholars from Durant school.
Reading Lincoln's Gettysburg address, Capt. W. R. Thomas.
Address, Hon. Fred V. Wood.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Services G. A. R. and Sons of Veterans.

Placing flags on graves by Sons of Veterans.

Strewing flowers on graves by G. A. R., W. R. C., and ladies of G. A. R.

Music by Fifth Regiment Band.

AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

An anniversary mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock next Saturday morning at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, corner Seventh and Jefferson, for the repose of the souls of the deceased members of Oakland Council No. 6, Young Men's Institute. At the close of the exercises the attendants will repair to St. Mary's cemetery, where a patriotic address will be delivered by Rev. Father Clarke of San Francisco.

CAR ACCOMMODATIONS.

The Piedmont and Mountain View Railway will run through cars from Seventh and Washington streets on Friday, May 29th, via Broadway and Piedmont avenue to Mountain View cemetery gate, also via Broadway, Twenty-fourth street, Oakland and Vernal avenues to Blair Park where a large opening has been made in the fence between the Park and the cemetery, where people can enter the cemetery and have the advantage of a down hill walk to all the plots in that vicinity of the cemetery. The distance that persons visiting the soldiers' plot will have to walk from the entrance in Blair Park to the soldiers' plot, is less by considerable than the distance from Mountain View cemetery gate on Piedmont avenue.

On Saturday, during the time when Washington and Fourteenth streets will be occupied by the parade, cars will be run on regular headway from the postoffice to Mountain View cemetery gate on Piedmont avenue, and also to Mountain View cemetery via Blair Park.

As soon as the parade is over cars will be run through from Seventh and Washington to Mountain View cemetery by both routes.

THE TRADESMEN TALK.

Action With the Merchants' Exchange Now Seems Assured.

Preliminary Arrangements for the Approaching Oakland Exposition.

The Board of Trade held a special meeting last night.

Pesident Taylor called the Board to order at 8:15 P. M.

The roll-call showed the following members present: J. P. Taylor, M. J. Keller, A. D. Pryal, Albert Kayser, J. Tyrril, H. O. Trowbridge, E. B. Norton, George R. M. Gray.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

A letter from Senator Perkins in reference to the Bankruptcy Bill now before Congress was read and placed on file.

A letter from B. M. Lelong regarding jars for the Permanent Exhibit was read and referred to the Commitee on Jars.

A letter from the Chicago Board of of Trade of Chicago in reference to Senate Bill 2967 and House Bill No. 8536 was read, and, on motion referred to a Committee of two consisting of H. O. Trowbridge and M. J. Keller to report at the next meeting.

Mr. Burtchaell, representing the Oakland Merchant's Exchange, was present and spoke in reference to the appointment of a Committee to act conjointly with a Committee from the Merchant's Exchange in regard to fitly celebrating the 4th of July, Conference Comittee to meet next Thursday evening at the office of the Gaslight and Heat Company. On motion, a Committee of three constising of Messrs Tyrril, Gray and Taft was appointed to act.

President Taylor, speaking in behalf of the ladies of the Fabiola Fete, said, they had 1200 programmes left over, and would like to have the Board of Trade purchase about 600 of them for $50.00. On motion, the Board declined to purchase for the reason that they have endorsed the Woodruff Souvenir and are short of funds.

President Taylor, also reported dues book ordered and rent for use of room—$6 for May paid, amount $10.00.

By invittation, Col. Lyman Bridges of San Leandro was present and gave a number of reasons why a viaduct should be built under the Estuary to Alameda. He explained the whole matter at considerable length, the address being of great interest to those present. Col. Bridges offered his service to the Board as Consulting Engineer, free of charge. On motion, a vote of thanks was tendered him, and the offer of his services taken under further advisement.

A Committee from the Oakland Exposition consisting of Messrs. Trowbridge, Keller and Sharp offered the Board the free use of the Exposition Building, also any other assistance and facilities toward the Permanent Exhibit contemplated by the Board which the Oakland Exposition is now possessed of or may acquire.

On motion, a Committee of three consisting of Messrs. Tyrril, Fryal and Morton was appointed to cooperate with the Exposition Committee.

The efforts of Hon. Wm. R. Davis and others to secure for Oakland the Wilmerding School was heartily endorsed, and the Secretary was instructed to correspond with such members of the Board of Regents as he, or the Board, may have influence with, to work in the same direction.

President Taylor reported a suggestion made by Wm. E. Miller, Vice-President of the Oakland Bank of Savings, that the Board of Trade get up a popular subscription of say $5,000 for the purpose of investigating this section of country for the discovery of petroleum.

The Chair was instructed to appoint at his leisure a Committee of five from the members at large to take up the matter of petroleum development.

It was suggested by Mr. Sharp that a Committee be appointed to arrange for a monthly meeting of the whole Board of Trade, the programme to include essays on topics of interest to the county. The Chair appointed as such Committee, Messrs. Trowbridge, Gray and Breed.

The following names were proposed and elected to membership in the Board of Trade: M. Marcuse, R. T. Duburnet, Hopkins & Co., Stetphen Brophy, F. H. and W. Y. Stewart, W. R. Kennedy, John Thomson, A. L. Stone.

Yachtsmen, Ho!

The Directors of the California Yacht Club held a meeting last evening, at which they set June 10th as the time for awarding the Walters cup and other trophies won at the recent races. On Friday night the yachts will leave for a three days' cruise to Sausalito, Vallejo and a short run up the river.

OLD TIME CONS.

Burglars Kelley and Mortenson Are in a Bad Box.

The burglars Edward Kelley and John Mortenson, who were captured on Sunday last after burglarizing the residence of a Mrs Byrne on Estudillo avenue, San Leandro, and who are now in the County Jail, have a criminal record which will send them to the penitentiary for a number of years. It has just been discovered that Mortensen has already served two terms in San Quentin prison, and Kelley has passed one term there. This information was given by the wife of Mortensen.

Both are considered crafty and desperate men and are now shown to have been members of an extensive gang of young thieves and burglars that has been infesting this county for a long time.

Their coolness was displayed by making their appearance at the County Jail a few days ago for the purpose of having a chat with A. F. Williams, the burglar who has just been sentenced to the penitentiary for seven and a-half years. As soon as they were brought to the jail after their arrest they were recognized by Jailor White as the callers of a few days before.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.

Walnut bedstead, $2; walnut bureau, $4.75; hall rack, $2.25; cradle, $3.50; chairs, 25c; gasoline stove, $4.50; box mattress, $1.50. Hunter & Co., 862 Market street.

Bay City Flour is whitest.

After your dinner go to the Macdonough Bar (Fred. Ch. Poock) and get a creme de menthe—the best after dinner drink on earth.

ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC RAILROAD--SANTA FE EXPRESS.

To Chicago, via A. & P. direct line for passengers holding both first and second class tickets.

Trains leave Oakland Pier daily, 5:30 P. M., carrying Pullman Palace Vestibule Sleepers and newest and best upholstered tourist sleepers of any road to Chicago, daily, without change.

Personally conducted excursions to Boston and all Eastern cities leave on every Wednesday. For rates, tickets and sleeping car accommodations apply at company's Oakland office, 1118 Broadway. J. J. Warner, Passenger and Ticket Agent.

PHILLIPS' ROCK ISLAND EXCURSIONS.

Leave every Wednesday via Rio Grande and Rock Island Rys. Through tourist sleeping cars to Chicago and Boston. Manager and porters go through to Boston. For rates and sleeping car accommodations address W. L. ACHARD, district pass. agent, 972 Broadway, Oakland, or CLINTON JONES, general agent Rock Island Railway, 30 Montgomery st., San Francisco.

THE OVERLAND FLYER

ONLY { 3½ Days to Chicago—3½ / 4½ Days to New York—4½

The Union Pacific is the only line running vestibuled Pullman double drawing room sleepers and dining cars daily, San Francisco and Chicago without change. Vestibuled buffet smoking and library car added between Ogden and Chicago.

Upholstered tourist sleepers, San Francisco to Chicago daily without change. Personally conducted tourist excursions to St. Paul and Chicago every Friday.

Steamship tickets on sale to and from all points in Europe. D. W. Hitchcock, general agent, No. 1 Montgomery street, San Francisco. H. V. Blasdel, agent, 1010 Broadway, Oakland.

MAINLY FOR MOTHERS

You love your children. Knowingly you would not give them diseased milk. It may be cheaper than ours, but sickness and death are the penalties of using it. Our milk is fresh, thick and pure. Served twice daily. Will you try us?

OAKLAND CREAM DEPOT
1367 BROADWAY
TEL. MAIN 747 J. A. BLISS, PROP'T

THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST

especially when you can get the best as cheap as inferior makes. We know our

BICYCLE LEGGINS

are the best, and are backed up in this statement by our many customers, who not only have expressed this statement, but indorse it with their patronage. We have them from 50c to $2.00 in all shades.

YOUNG'S SHOE STORE,
961 Washington Street

FOR SALE!

$250—Choice lot near Broadway, on easy terms.

$1400—Cottage 4 rooms, well and barn on Myrtle st., easy terms.

$3400—Corner house 8 rooms, bath and laundry; near station, electric cars pass door; a bargain.

$4500—Queen Ann house 8 rooms, bath and laundry; every convenience; electric cars pass door.

We have the exclusive sale of several choice business properties and investment tracts.

J. H. MACDONALD & CO.
470 Ninth St., Near Broadway, Oakland

AMUSEMENTS.

MACDONOUGH THEATRE
CHAS. E. COOK.....Manager.
MONDAY NEXT, One Night Only
The Popular Comedian,
EDDIE FOY,
—IN—
"The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown,"
The Laughing Hit of the Century.
Seats ready TODAY—Prices 25c to $1.

Tuesday, June 9th, one night only,
ADA REHAN and the Daly Co.
Presenting "SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL."
ORDERS FOR SEATS RECEIVED at the BOX OFFICE—without extra charge—Every day this week from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
Regular sale of tickets begins next Tuesday at 9 A. M. No orders for seats received unless accompanied by the money. Prices 50c to $2. Leave orders and secure choice of seats.

OAKLAND THEATER.
Twelfth and Webster Streets.
FRANK BACON - - - - Manager
Telephone 50.
THE POPULAR RESORT
TO-NIGHT and every night this week
A Grand Treat to Musical Comedy by the
GRACIE PLAISTED CO.
In the Sparkling Operetta,
"TINA"
Interspersed with Specialties and Bright Numbers.
Popular Prices—Evenings, 10c, 20c, 30c; Loge Seats, 30c; Box Seats, 50c; Matinee, 10 and 20c.
Tickets on sale at Reilly's Drug Store, 1057 Bd'way
Next week—Another treat.

COUNTESS CONSTANCE WACHTMEISTER,
The Pupil and Co-Worker of Madam Blavatsky, will lecture in Hamilton Hall, cor. Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, FRIDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock. Subject: "A Conscious Universe and the Evolution of Man."
ADMISSION FREE.

THE ATTRACTIONS OF THE SEASON!
Orchards of Cherries
Gardens of Roses
Fields of Waving Grain
Meadows of New Mown Hay
Grand Canyon of Haywards Park and pleasing harmonies at the Club House.
Cars of the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway leave 7th and Washington sts on every even hour and half hour during the day.

CAPITOLA
Is charmingly situated on shore of the Bay of Monterey, four miles east of Santa Cruz on line of Broad Gauge Railroad.
Thousands visit this resort yearly to enjoy the surf bathing, salmon and trout fishing.
The hotel, situated at the very water's edge, baths, furnished and partly furnished cottages and provisions for amusements and recreation are all befitting a First Class Seaside Resort. Free camping ground. Address
F. REANIER, Supt., Capitola.

Pleasure running over follows the pop of a bottle of HIRES Rootbeer, the great temperance drink. The pop, the fun, and flavor delight everybody.
Made only by The Charles E. Hires Co., Philadelphia. A 25c. package makes 5 gallons. Sold everywhere.

—THE—
California Investment
COMPANY,
466 EIGHTH STREET
Oakland, Cal.
J. WALTER LAYMANCE....President
F. B. WOODHOUSE.....Secretary
FIRST NATIONAL BANK..Treasurer

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
Charles McCleverty, S. P. Tate Jr.,
A. P. Holland, F. J. Edwards,
R. R. Grayson, J. J. Scrivner,
J. L. Champlin, J. W. Laymance,
F. B. Woodhouse.

CAPITAL STOCK.....$100,000
1000 shares at $100 each, payable at $1 per month upon each share. The most simple plan in the world to make money with practically no risk.

PURPOSE OF ORGANIZATION.
The California Investment Company is organized for the benefit of all its stockholders, and not for the purpose of bestowing wealth and power on a favored few, also to enable small investors to combine and gain equal advantages with capitalists in making investments, to buy, to sell, and deal in Real Esate, to borrow and make loans, and to provide for a life income during one's later years.

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SMALL INVESTORS.
The California Investment Company is organized for giving parties of small capital an opportunity for a safe and profitable investment, those who can spare but a few dollars at a time have long to wait before they can save enough to buy a lot and then they have to pay the retail price, which is much greater than that which land can be purchased for in large tracts. By depositing a few dollars with the California Investment Company you will place it where it will be combined for your benefit, with the money of others like yourselves. The Company purchases property at wholesale prices, then subdivides and sells the same at retail prices. Money invested where property is rapidly increasing in value will some time double and in all cases will bring a larger return than interest.
The California Investment Company desires to call your attention to their most simple co-operative system for making money. The plan of investing in the Company is the most simple in the world. The value of one share is one hundred dollars, payable at one dollar per month, no more, no less. This money is paid into the treasury of the Company and invested by the Board of Directors who are selected by the Stockholders once a year.
"In Union there is strength," any person investing money in the California Investment Company will receive more profits from the amount paid in than any investment they can make. It is only by the combination of your savings with those of others that your money is given power equal to that all of millionaires.
In these exceptionally bad times it is gratifying to know that there is still left an opportunity to make money and especially at this present time the California Investment Company believes now is the time to invest.
It is useless to say to you that in order for the California Investment Company to secure success, great experience, tact, judgment and discretion are necessary. All of these most important elements are intrusted to representative business men of this city who compose the Board of Directors.
Correspondence solicited.

The Lace House

Corner Twelfth and Washington Streets.

The H. C. Capwell Co.

INCORPORATED

Telephone 1071—Red.

NOW BUY SUMMER UNDERWEAR

Our assortment is immense. Every garment was bought of the mill that made it. Better goods for the same money cannot be found in California.

Ladies' Sleeveless Vests
A dozen styles to show you, every one a bargain. White and Colors, at 5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c.

Ladies' Vests, Long Sleeves
A good vest, well finished, at 25c.
Several grades in Cotton and Lisle, Ecru and White, at 35c, 50c to $1.

Ladies' Short Sleeve Vests
A number of good things, all well finished. Cream, Ecru and White, at 25c, 35c, 50c.

Ladies' Ribbed Drawers
To match grades and weights of Vests. Prices, 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

Ladies' Tights
Lisle, full finished, Ecru, at 50c.
Lisle, full finished, Black, at 75c.

Ladies' Combination Suits
The greatest line ever shown in Oakland and as good and complete as carried by any house on this coast, at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 to $3.00.

Children's Garments
Ribbed Underwear for children that is made as it should be we have in great variety.
Vests and Pants at 25c.

Children's Union Suits
High neck or low neck, no sleeves, at 50c.
High neck and long sleeves at 50c and 75c.

On JUNE 30th,

We will give away the handsome Conover Parlor Grand Piano now on exhibition in our show window "B." You get a ticket with every purchase of one dollar's worth of goods.

AIDING INSTRUCTION.

Why Miss Morgan Sent Out the Lincoln School Questions.

A list of questions relative to each child's inclinations was sent to the parents of some of the pupils of the Lincoln School a short time ago and brought about some talk, as the Board of Education claimed that it had not authorized any one to send out such questions, nor did any of the members know who was the author of them.

There should have been no mystery. Miss Morgan, one of the teachers, was the only one who sent such questions and she did it merely as a part of the afternoon's work of her pupils. The following note which should have been copied by the children at the bottom of the questions would show that there was nothing compulsory on the part of the parents.

"Dear Mother:—The above is the home work our teacher told us about last month, but you must not feel under any obligations to answer all or any of the questions, as they refer to child study that our teacher is doing."

Miss Morgan is a student of pedagogics and the questions, besides being an exercise for the pupils, were, when answered, a help to her in her study.

THE COQUETTE.

What is thy power that thou shouldst hold
My life within thy clasp so cold?
Dost really doubt my sanity?
My very soul to thee doth bend,
Yet still withal my heart thou'l rend,
It tickles so thy vanity.
With eyes so bright, with words so sweet,
Like moth to candle, at thy feet,
I'm forced to kneel in homage great;
Then, like a child with plaything new,
With tender grace, with much ado,
You love until you satiate.
Then looks and words and acts austere
Reminding me, if I draw near,
That I must wait and distance keep;
For thou art armed for battle strong,
And Sampson-like, yet with a tongue,
Thy thousands slay, then thou wilt weep.
Thy spleen now o'er, thou wilt return,
Thy heart for love once more will yearn,
And kind and good again thou'l be;
Upon my lap thou'l take thy seat,
With words of love, caresses sweet,
And swear I'm more than life to thee.
My every motion in thy sight
A charm doth prove to thy delight,
Once more affection's slave art thou;
Now all seems calm, upon my breast
Thy head is laid in peaceful rest,
When low storms gather on thy brow.
Now oil on troubled waters might
Appease their wrath, if handled righ
Yet 'twould not do so in this case;
At least not till thy anger's gone,
To do it then it might be wrong,
To pour on oil from head to base,
In fact, I'd rather have it done
By some one else when I am gone,
By some one fond of music sweet;
It would be well if he could run,
And after that my house to shun,
In fact, he'd better shun the street;
But if by chance he was to meet
My lady fair upon the street,
He'd better turn another way,
For woman's anger, when let loose,
Will man put his feet in use,
If he has sense, and nothing say.

—Jonnifar.

Christian Endeavor.

Under the auspices of the Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union, a reception to the delegates who attended the State Convention at San Jose will be held at the First Congregational Church on Friday evening, May 29th, at 7:15 P. M. S. W. Condon, County President, will preside, and the speakers will be several of the best known and enthusiastic workers in the cause of Christian Endeavor in Alameda County. All Endeavorers and others interested are cordially invited to be present.

Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair,
Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Most Perfect Made.
40 Years the Standard.

FRATERNAL NEWS

Old Timers in Oakland Are Reviewed by a Veteran.

LOCAL LODGES ARE BUSY.

The A. O. H. Convention Is to Be a Big Affair.

CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES.

Social and Business Events in the Charmed Circles.

The fraternal world has not been prolific of great events during the past week, but those which have transpired will be found below:

Grand Army of the Republic.

On Saturday next Memorial Day will be appropriately observed by the Grand Army men of this city. The decoration of the graves by Appomattox and Porter Posts will take place shortly after noon. That by Lyon Post will occur in the morning, although the members of that organization, owing to the suspension under which they labor, will not appear in Grand Army regalia.

AN OLD COMRADE.

The recent criticism of the management of the Veterans' Home at Yountville appeared in some of the fraternal papers in the East, and in connection with the criticism was mentioned the name of a prominent veteran of this city. The name, which is withheld, attracted the attention of an old comrade in the East and that fact called forth the following letter from a former Oaklander, Capt. W. H. Crocker, which has something personal and reminiscent in it and which will be read with a great deal of interest by all his former acquaintances in this city:

The clipping referred to above as taken from an Oakland paper tells of Mr. Crocker's having recently been commissioned as "second lieutenant of Captain Eigenbrodt's company in the battalion of light cavalry now being raised in this State for active service at the seat of war." It then tells of the presentation of a sword to Lieutenant Crocker at the "Oakland House" in the presence of a large number of people and of the Oakland Guard. The presentation speech was delivered by Dr. Newcomb, and the speech of acceptance by Lieutenant Crocker the reporter of that day says was "so impressive and eloquent as to bring forth tears from those who reflected how soon he might justify his words and prove his devotion by sacrificing his young life." After the presentation there was a banquet served by Ames, the host, and the affair closed with a hop.

The second clipping referred to above tells of the presentation to Captain Crocker of a medal issued by Congress for gallantry at Cedar Creek, Va., in 1861.

Order of Eastern Star.

Last Thursday night Golden Gate Chapter of San Francisco, O. E. S., held its district meeting. There were present visitors from the Chapters of the order in this city and many other places. Among the speakers were Mrs. Partridge of Oakland, who has long been identified with the Eastern Star.

Native Daughters.

Alameda Parlor, N. D. G. W., of Alameda has elected Mrs. Sophie Schroeder as delegate to the forthcoming Grand Parlor of the order.

Companions of the Forest, F. O. A

A new branch of this order was instituted in this city on last Wednesday and will be known as Loyal Circle. It was instituted by Grand Secretary Miss A. D. Bremer, assisted by Grand Trustee Mrs. R. Harrington and Past Chief Companions Miss H. Mentel, Miss B. Hintz and Henry Kaufman. The officers installed were as follows: Mrs. Flora Jacobs, J. P. C. C.; Mrs. B. Ross, C. C.; Mrs. D. Hubbardt, S. C. C.; Mrs. R. Cohen, Financial Secretary; M. E. Harris, Recording Secretary; Mrs. N. C. Noblett, Treasurer; Mrs. G. Tichnor, R. C.; Mrs. Schramm, I. C.; Samuel Roselberg, O. G.

Knights and Ladies of Honor.

There will be one assessment for June.

A visit will be made this evening to Palmetto lodge, West End, Alameda, by Protector Colquhoun and other members of Oakland lodge.

Oakland lodge No. 935, appointed a committee of three last Tuesday evening to act in conjunction with Palmetto and Seal Rock lodges of Alameda and Berkeley lodge in arranging for a union meeting. The Secretary was instructed to ask the other lodges to appoint a similar committees on conference and arrangements.

Red Men.

On last Friday evening Tecumseh Tribe, I. O. R. M., entertained the Great Sachem, A. Jackson, who was accompanied by P. G. S. Goodyear, F. R. Brandt, C. F. Burgman, F. S. Bliss, and many other prominent officers of the order at G. A. R. Hall on Thirteenth street.

The evening was most enjoyable, as well as instructive. A paleface had been captured by the hunters and adopted in a creditable form, after which a banquet was served. During the evening interesting speeches were made by A. Jackson, B. F. Josslyn, W. M. Betts and F. Brandt.

On the 29th inst. nominations will be made.

Ancient Order Hibernians.

Preparations are now being made by the Ancient Order of Hibernians for the convention of the order which is to be held in San Jose, beginning June 1st.

It is expected that many changes will be made in the constitution of the order in order to adapt it to the recent great increase which has been experienced in the order. When the present constitution was adopted there were but five divisions of the order in this State. Now there are thirty-eight and the membership comprises about 4000 people. In San Francisco there are twenty divisions, while Alameda has five. The Grand Recording Secretary of the order is D. S. McCarthy, who is a resident of this city. The delegates from Alameda County are as follows:

Division 1—The Rev. J. B. McNally, E. J. Murphy, M. J. O'Gara, John Pegrum, M. Sullivan, and P. Duffy.

Division 2—James Sullivan, M. Duddy, David Barry, W. Lenane and Edmond Murphy.

Division 3—Patrick Mullen, Timothy Nolan, John C. Murphy, J. J. Smith and James Smith.

Division 4—M. J. Fitzgerald, P. W. Treacy, Frank McAllister, Daniel M. Murphy and Charles E. McCarthy.

Division 5—Thomas Doyle, M. Powers, H. Creed, Thomas Furer and C. Toomey.

Ancient Order United Workmen.

The Supreme Lodge of the A. O. U. W. will meet in Buffalo early next month. The State of California will be represented in it by Past Supreme Master Workman W. H. Jordan and Past Grand Master Workmen E. Danforth, G. B. Katzenstein, J. M. Young and Grand Recorder D. S. Hirshberg.

The Board of Arbitration meets today at the office of the Grand Secretary to pass upon disputed claims.

CENTRAL LODGE.

Central Lodge, No. 251, A. O. U. W., is forging ahead in an active and resolute manner. The meetings are well attended and the members are displaying a great deal of interest. At the meeting which was held on last Monday, President Hessler of the Past Masters' Association was present and delivered an interesting address. Speeches were also made by Edward Murphy, P. M. Horgan and a number of others. A committee is soon to be appointed to make arrangements with other committees of the same kind for a district meeting.

The new officers of Central Lodge for the ensuing term are as follows:

P. M. W., Wm. G. Williamson; M. W., Jas. J. Driscoll; Foreman, E. Driscoll; Overseer, J. C. Parkinson; Guide, Wm. O. O'Connell; Financier, Ed Donovan; Receiver, M. O'Riely; Recorder, C. Gilman; J. W., J. M. Prairs; O. W., M. Dolan.

OCCIDENTAL LODGE.

W. E. Frost, Recorder, writes that a very important meeting of Occidental Lodge will be held this evening. Important changes in the by-laws will be acted upon.

PACIFIC LODGE.

This evening Pacific lodge No. 7 will hold an open session at the new hall, 1169 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

The principal event on the programme will be a lecture by Past Grand Master Workman Rogers of San Francisco, who is a fluent speaker and has taken for his subject "The Economic Law of the Sermon on the Mount."

The drill team of Pacific lodge went to San Francisco last evening and conferred the degrees on ten candidates at Valley lodge. They were given a hearty reception by the members of lodge No. 30, who were out in full force.

Catholic Ladies' Aid Society.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society is making arrangements for a series of lectures to be given in the near future by prominent speakers, among them Fathers Yorke and Clarke.

The regular weekly meeting of the society will be held Monday evening, June 1st, in Y. M. I. Hall, Broadway.

Woodmen of the World.

On the 17th of next month there will be a District Convention of the Woodmen of the World held in this city, at which will be elected three delegates to the annual meeting of the Head Camp, which is to be held in Butte, Montana. For every twenty-five members each camp is entitled to one delegate, or a major fraction thereof. Oakland Camp is entitled to nine delegates, and has selected them as follows: J. I. Boak, T. M. Robinson, F. B. Ogden, J. L. Lyon, J. B. Greer, J. H. Patton, S. H. Masters, H. J. McKin, E. T. Taylor. The alternates selected are as follows: A. R. Waters, L. G. Burpee, F. T. Johnson, E. Nusbaumer, P. J. Newman, Byron Hurley, Dr. C. J. Sharp, W. W. Curnow, E. T. Leiter.

The officers of this camp for the ensuing term are as follows: Council Commander, J. B. Greer; Adviser Lieutenant, E. T. Taylor; Escort, F. Johnson; Assistant Escort, A. Muchmore; Watchman, H. J. McKin; Sentry, J. C. Snow; Manager, E. T. Leiter; organist, James Pollitt.

Odd Fellows.

On the 10th of next month Grand Master W. J. Warboys, I. O. O. F., will start on a tour of official visitations.

On last Thursday night General J. F. Crossett, Commander of the Department of California, Patriarchs Militant, accompanied by his chief of staff and aides and Canton No. 5 of San Francisco, visited Oakland Canton, No. 11, and installed the officers of that organization. The ceremony was conducted by General E. H. Black, Colonel H. O. Brower and Colonel W. S. Potter, aided by Canton No. 5. After the installation there was a banquet, during which speeches were delivered by Gen. Crossett, Gen. Black, Col. Brower, Col. Potter, Captain A. J. Duncan, Captain F. B. Ogden, Grand Representative Dames and others.

TWENTY-THREE YEARS OLD.

On the 23d inst., Livermore Lodge, I. O. O. F., reached the twenty-third milestone in its journey through this world.

In honor of this event, the sisters of the Rebekah Lodge planned and carried into execution the decoration of the lodge reception room and parlor. Without the knowledge of any of the masculine fraternity, they raised money and employed artisans for the work. They repapered the apartment elegantly and hung upon its walls handsome oil paintings, the work of their own artistic brushes. Mrs. Savage furnished a large landscape, Mrs. Jordan a striking marine view, Mrs. George Beck a luscious study of fruit, Mrs. McKown a dainty creation of chrysanthemums and Miss Ella Weymouth a large panel of peach blossoms and swallows.

The surprise was sprung on the lodge Thursday night, at recess, when the brethren were invited unsuspectingly into the parlor.

It is said that the gentlemen were deeply impressed by the sisterly thoughtfulness of the Rebekahs, and that among themselves they have determined upon seeing to it that needed repairs are at once made upon the extension of the main hall, still in an unfinished state.

The Odd Fellows, says the Livermore Herald, have a fine property and are justly proud of it.

Knights of Pythias.

Oakland lodge No. 103, K. of P., at its last convention conferred the page rank on one stranger. The surprise for the occasion, promised by Brothers Borland and Gans, the stereoptican managers, surpassed all expectations, while the music furnished by Prof. N. Bonham's orchestra was up to date.

The report of the grand lodge delegates, Brothers Aldrich and Gans, of the doings of that august body, was

(Continued on page 6.)

Syrup of Figs

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

Carpetings

WE ARE RECEIVING FROM THE MANUFACTURERS

NEW GOODS IN LATEST STYLES!

We have an **immense Stock** and **Our Prices** are the **Lowest.**

All goods strictly as represented.

JAPANESE AND CHINA MATTINGS.

All the Latest Novelties in these goods at prices ranging from 15c to 30c per yard.

Linoleums

A Large Stock of All Grades at **Lowest Prices.**

R. H. CHAMBERLAIN,

416-420 Twelfth St.

OAKLAND, CAL.

$150 Cash

—AND—

$30 PER MONTH, Including Interest,

Will Buy a

NEW MODERN HOUSE,

Containing

7 Rooms and Bath,

SITUATED ON

Central Avenue,

ALAMEDA

In a Choice Residence Section

LOT 30x125

William J. Dingee,

460-462 Eighth Street,

OAKLAND.

SHOES SOLED SUDDENLY—

By an Expert, until recently with the Oakland Boot and Shoe Co.

GENTS' SOLING....(Hand-Sewed)....$1.00
" " .....(Nailed).....50c
LADIES' " 40c
Children's Shoes Repaired Reasonably.

A. ZIMMERMAN, 832 WASHINGTON Between 6th and 7th Sts

BUYING AT MEESE'S

is a pleasure—there is such variety in stock—such accommodating prices—it is headquarters for woodenware, toys, baskets, brushes, cordage, stationery and willowware furniture.

907-909 Washington St.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

KAHN BROS.

THE "STANLEY"

Is the only Waist made with the

"FLORETTE" ADJUSTER AND SKIRT HANGER.

THE HOT SPELL

Is here at last and this is the store in which you will find the garments to make you happy and comfortable during the summer.

WE'VE THREE LINES

In Particular in the STANLEY waists which we are offering at prices ever so low.

THERE'S THE PRETTY

Yellow and black combination always sold for $1.75. This hot week, **$1.00**

THEN AGAIN

Those pretty Chambray embroidered front, regular price, $2.25. This hot week, **$1.50**

AND ALSO THOSE

Beautiful Plaid Waists, you've seen them in the window, reduced from $1.25 to **75c**

LAST, BUT NOT LEAST,

The prettiest line and best values at 50c, are to be sold this week at **39c**

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

For the Many Other Price Attractions at

KAHN'S CORNER,

N. E. 12th and Washington Sts.

OAKLAND, CAL.

LAYMANCE

REAL ESTATE and INVESTMENT Co.

466 Eighth Street, OAKLAND CAL.

AT AUCTION!

SPECIAL SALE SPECIAL SALE

Saturday, June 6th, 1896

At 2 O'clock P. M., at Salesroom.

Without Limit. Sale Absolute

—WE WILL SELL—

5-Magnificent Business and Residence Lots-5

Southeast corner Market and 18th streets. Both streets sewered and macadamized, water, gas, etc. This elegant property is subdivided into four lots 25x100 each. Corner 30x100; only few minutes' walk to the local train, Market Street Station. Electric car every few minutes to the center of the city and Sixteenth Street Depot, is surrounded by a fine class of improvements. This property can be so improved as to pay good interest on the investment. This property must be sold to close estate and will be sold to the highest bidder.

TERMS OF SALE CASH.

—ALSO—

$100 CASH. $100 CASH

TWO MODERN COTTAGES of four and five rooms each, located on the west side of CENTER STREET, No. 723 and 725. Lot 23x146. Extraordinary easy terms—ONLY $100 CASH, BALANCE $15 PER MONTH. This property is within easy access to local trains and will rent so as to pay good interest on the investment.

ELMHURST

Business property at Elmhurst—Store and five rooms in rear. Lot facing Jones avenue and San Leandro road. 100x150. Estimated low value of land $2000. Building cost $1500, total $3500. This property must be sold to the highest bidder—only $300 cash, balance easy. Examine the property before day of sale.

—ALSO—

Two elegant lots east side of Peralta street, 200 feet north of 14th street, 26x100 each. Peralta street graded, sewered and macadamized, cement walk, etc., surrounded by a good class of improvements. Extraordinary easy terms—only $100 cash, balance in four equal semi-annual payments.

BERKELEY

An ideal home in Berkeley, located in the midst of fine improvements, containing nine rooms and bath, streets graded, macadamized, sewered, etc. Will be sold upon easy terms. Large lot 50x100, beautiful garden, street car and local trains communication to Oakland and San Francisco. Only $500 cash—balance at $25 per month. This elegant property will be sacrificed.

TWO COTTAGES

Nos. 623 and 625 Third street, between Jefferson and Grove, containing six rooms and bath, lot 26x100 each. Only one-quarter cash, balance in three equal yearly payments. Interest eight per cent per annum. Third street sewered, macadamized, gas, water, etc., complete.

FOR FULL PARTICULARS APPLY TO

LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE AND INVESTMENT COMP'Y

LAND AUCTIONEERS,

466 Eighth St., Oakland, Cal.

ALLIANCE AROUSED.

The Stalwart Republican Club Again in the Field.

OLD-TIME ENTHUSIASM SHOWN

George Morrow is President and Varney Gaskill Commander.

CARLTON IS STILL SECRETARY.

A Rousing Fight is to Be Made for Major McKinley.

"Hip, hip, rah, hip, hip, rah, Alliance, Alliance, rah, rah, rah, McKinley!"

The slogan rang long and loud through Masonic Hall last night, and fully sixty lusty voices swelled the chorus. It was a reminder of old times—times when the city resoundede for Harrison when the sturdy young Republicans marshalled into line, paraded the streets and sent skyward vari-colored lights from their flaming flambeaux. Indeed, those were good old days, full of enthusiasm and fun, and there is not one of that jolly band but looks back with pleasant recollections of the past. How the ladies admired those nattily attired men—certainly it was an honor to belong to the Alliance Club and succeeding years have not dimmed the distinction one whit.

Now that same club, minus the few who have passed into the great beyond, will again come to the front and with united strength stand shoulder to shoulder for McKinley. The great protectionist's likeness will be displayed on the banners and the flambeaux will flash in his cause.

It was a sort of a family reunion last evening. Everywhere there was handshaking and the feeling of brotherhood pervaded the entire session. Truly the Alliance Club of '96 has started out auspiciously.

When the club adjourned after the last Gubernatorial campaign, it was to the call of the Chairman, and this brought the calling to order by Victor H. Metcalf. After preliminary discussion and recitals of campaign reminiscences by members, grouped in twos and threes about the hall, President Metcalf called the meeting to order. Then the minutes of two years ago were read and approved.

The next business was the election of a new Board of Directors. This brought forward nominations of eleven representative members, and upon a unanimous ballot they were declared elected. They are Howard Shinn, L. L. Bromwell, George P. Morrow, C. A. Bon, Harry P. Carlton, William G. Henshaw, W. A. Mitchell, Robert J. Boyer, A. P. Brayton Jr., F. E. Brigham and Victor H. Metcalf.

This practically ended the business of the club, so the newly constituted Board of Directors went into executive session, and immediately proceeded to the election of officers for the campaign.

George P. Morrow was the unanimous choice for President, and F. E. Brigham was given the honor of the office of First Vice President.

W. G. Henshaw had the position of Second Vice President placed at his feet, while Howard W. Shinn was elected Treasurer.

Harry P. Carlton, who has served the club, and the ball was started rolling elected to succeed himself, and Sol D. Rogers was given the Assistant Secretaryship.

The Commander-in-Chief, who is to lead the ranks during the campaign, must of necessity be thoroughly up in the tactics, as well as making an imposing appearance. The selection of Varney Gaskill for this position was a most happy one, for he combines all the necessary qualifications and is also a general favorite. He was elected by acclamation, and was given the power to appoint all his officers. This will probably be done before the next meeting.

Some time after the election of officers the Alliance Band serenaded the new club, and the ball was started rolling in earnest. The next meeting will be held on Monday night, when all former members are urged to be present.

The club members will wear uniforms patterned after the same neat style as the costume always worn before. Another feature will be a bugle and drum corps. Harry P. Carlton will officiate as chief bugler, and the other members will be designated shortly.

The Alliance is now in for business. Active work will begin as soon as the members can be lined up. Already invitations have been received from Nevada and other places for a visit, but Oakland will, of course, be given the first display.

WOMAN ARE WELCOME.

Selection of Officers by the Young Men's Populist Club

The Young Men's People's Party Club decided last evening that, inasmuch as the party believes in female suffrage, ladies should be invited to join their club. A general resolution inviting all females to put their names on the roll was passed, and a special one inviting Miss Frankie Lane, Oakland's Portia, who is to stump the county in the cause of Populism, to become a member, met with no opposition and was spread on the minutes.

The club also tried to cast the cloak of honor upon H. Socrates Pu, by electing him Commander of the military contingent. Pu pleaded that his spare moments were given to writing poetry, and his time was too limited to allow him to accept the post. A compromise was made by electing him to the Second Vice Presidency. Other officers elected were: President, J. C. Buttner; First Vice President, C. E. Gardner; Second Vice President, Pu; Secretary, Fred Hale; Treasurer, E. J. White; Sergeant-at-Arms, George Palenbaum.

To Talk on India.

An instructive entertainment for the benefit of the West Oakland Free Kindergarten will be given in the parlors of the Unitarian Church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Hamlin, who spent nearly two years in India, will speak upon the social customs of that country for the benefit of the above named worthy charity. Her talk will be enriched by the exhibition of curios from India and a young lady will wear a native Hindoo costume. Admission will be only 25 cents.

Bernal Located.

John Bernal, the Pleasanton man who shot Richard Foley in December of last year, and who failed to appear for trial in the Superior Court yesterday, was taken into custody on a farm about four miles from Pleasanton yesterday evening by Constable Lyster. Bernal had made no attempt to escape, although as a consequence of his failure to appear for trial his bail bond in the sum of $2000 was ordered forfeited. He explained that the reason he did not appear was because he thought his trial had been continued.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ORIGINAL EXERCISES.

The High School Festivities Are Being Thoroughly Enjoyed.

PICTURESQUE DECORATIONS.

The Death of Cæsar Recited in a Merry Burlesque.

EVERYTHING IS A SUCCESS.

A Large Throng of Friends of the Students Present.

The members of the graduating class of the Oakland High School are holding their Class Day exercises this afternoon in the gymnasium. The hall has been gorgeously decorated by the members of the Low Senior Class under the direction of Miss Rose Brydges, Miss Elizabeth Scupham, and Richard Harvey. The class color is a brilliant cardinal and this color is used extensively in the decorations.

The stage is trimmed in red bunting and three enormous American flags form an artistically draped curtain. Around the plat form is twined ivy and creeping geranium, while clusters of red blossoms are placed here and there. At the doors of the hall stand palms in pots draped in cardinal colors.

The stage represents a High School room and J. J. Rosborough's clever little farce, "The Killing of Julius Dorety Caesar," President of the Class of June '96, is played by the members of the class. Fifty-five graduates occupy the seats on the stage. It is supposed to represent the interior of a class room while the students are holding a meeting. The dialogue of the farce is clever and witty and extremely up to date.

The farce represents an afternoon in the High School senior classroom. The class President has been tyrannical and ambitious. The leading politicians of the class finally decide he must die for it. They adopt the latest manner of execution, viz., Professor Mead's batteries. After the supposed death of Caesar, Anthony produces his will which contains the class dispensation. The breast of Caesar explodes with grief on hearing the final portion of his will and his shade appears before the horror-stricken multitude; a reconciliation ensues; he calls the meeting to order and the renowned class of June departs gloriously and immortal to their alloted fame.

The cast is composed of the following graduates:

Julius Dorety Caesar...Fred G. Dorety
Marcus Brutus Shueyus.....
.....W. Albert Shuey
Harry Cassius Keelil..Harry A. Keeler
Cloud Casca.....Archie J. Cloud
Decius Baker.....Arthur Baker
Cinna Muma .....Irwin J. Muma
Metellus Breed.....Herbert L. Breed
Trebonius Oliver.....Edwin L. Oliver
Popilus Nicholius....J. Carrol Nicholls
Artimodorus Dibert....Jesse L. Dibert
Mark Antony Brooks..Chas. S. Brooks
Cicero Ralston Coffee..Rudolph Coffee
Miss Flavius Lundy (Tribune and Greek scholar)..Miss Estelle Lundy
Miss Marullus Wachs (Tribune and Greek scholar)Miss Gertrude Wachs
A student .....John R. Robinson
Mrs. Harriet Chickeria (Portia and class prophet)....Harry Chickering
Multitude .....The Class

The play is full of local hits and produces considerable laughter. Marc Antony's speech was full of grief as he thought of his dead friend Caesar who would never more aid him with his Latin. The reading of Caesar's will was thoroughly enjoyable, for it contained a reference to every graduate and was something in the nature of a dispensation.

Owing to the length of the play neither the class prophecy nor history were read. The music for the afternoon was rendered by August Benson's orchestra.

THE GRADUATES.

This evening the graduating exercises will be held in the gymnasium and the following young ladies and gentlemen will be granted diplomas:

Lizzie Arleid, Harry W. Bangle, Fannie Bolles, Charles S. Brooks, Arthur Baker, Herbert L. Breed, Alfred R. Burrell, Arthur Caldwell, Agnes M. Cole, Archie J. Cloud, Helen Campbell, Harry Chickering, Rudolph Coffee, M. Sara Cooper, Fred G. Dorety, Jesse L. Dibert, Gertrude Davis, Grace B. Edson, Cora L. Evans, Lucia H. Fish, Mariana Flores, Samuel P. Hardy, Mary V. E. Harris, Frank Jenks, Neva T. Jarvis, Lotta A. Jenoks, May N. Jackson, Harry A. Keeler, Henry R. Lynch, Estelle J. Lundy, Roy McClymonds, Minnie Maxwell, Irwin J. Muma, Martha J. McDill, Catherine McLean, Lillie Evelyn Moller, John Carroll Nicholls, Genevieve Nicholson, Ella J. O'Connell, Edwin L. Oliver, Eva Powell, Ernest S. Page, Ella Rosenberg, Joseph J. Rosborough, John R. Robinson, Yoneshiro Shibata, May L. Sellander, Sophie E. Sohst, Minnie Snyder, William A. Shuey, Arthur Tasheria, Elroy J. Wagor, Gertrude H. Wachs, Anna R. Wilder, Emma Wolter.

Professor E. H. Griggs of Stanford University will deliver a lecture on the subject of "Self Culture Through the Vacation."

Admission to the exercises is by ticket only and over 900 tickets have been issued.

Superintendent McClymonds was given fifty for the Board of Education and city officials. Principal McChesney and teachers were given an equal number between them. The others are divided among the members of the class, giving each fourteen.

Spiritualist Societies.

The State Convention of the Christian Spiritualist Societies held two sessions yesterday in Hamilton Hall and as a result of the meeting another local society, making the fourth in this city, will be formed Sunday. Clever addresses were made by the various speakers and in the evening a banquet was served to the 150 visiting delegates at Loring Hall.

BORN.

JAMES—In Alameda, May 20, 1896, to the wife of William James, a daughter.

DIED.

FARMER—In this city, May 27, 1896, Mrs. H. Milo Farmer, nee Clara M. Hayward, a native of California, aged 33 years.

BATCHELDER — In Oakland, May 26, 1896, Samuel M. Batchelder, a native of New Hampshire, aged 61 years.

THE SECRET DISCOVERED.

The World Has Waited a Thousand Years for This.

"Proclaim it to all the world that you have the secret of perfect health for men; of power over disease, weakness and decay; of Glorious manhood. Write it, talk it, sing it, shout it till all these human wrecks are saved!"

So writes a happy man fresh from the Slough of Despond.

Well, the discovery has been proclaimed, but men are slow to believe.

The way is open to inquire, to investigate. Why will not every man do so?

There is a simple way to cure at home all those baneful effects of the sins of youth and the excesses of later years which blast the lives of multitudes of men.

There is a way to regain strength lost by disease, overwork and worry.

A way to secure and retain the abilities sacrificed to dissipation—to "be glad again after suffering an atonement."

A way to repair drains on the system that sap the vitality.

A way to replace nervousness, dread and despondency with courage and self-respect.

A way to give full strength, development and tone to every portion of the body.

A way to remove every obstacle to happy and fruitful married life.

All this is clearly shown in a little medical work recently published. It is not a book for general circulation, being purely medical and scientific and for men only who need advice and aid.

How to get it: Write to the Erie Medical Company, Niagara Street, Buffalo, N. Y., say you read the article in this paper, and ask them to send you the book called "Complete Manhood, and the Way to Attain It." They will send one copy entirely free, in a plain sealed wrapper, to any man who writes for it in good faith.

AMUSEMENTS.

A List of Excellent Attractions for Oakland Theater Goers.

Gracie Plaisted's engagement at the Oakland is proving one of the great successes in the history of the theater. She attracted another big house last night, and her bright, clever operetta was much enjoyed. The show will be here until Sunday night.

EDDIE FOY.

The public of this city should be glad to welcome the popular comedian, Eddie Foy, at the Macdonough on next Monday evening, when he will be seen in that funniest of funny farces, "The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown." The company includes among others the well known names of Harry Brown, one of the best general comedians in the country, and who will chiefly be remembered for his performance of "Lorenzo" in the original production in the United States of "The Mascot," Jas. E. Sullivan, C. J. Burridge, Geo. Gaston, Effie Dinsmore, Lillian Larkins, Lizzie Conway, Payson Graham, Lizzie Morgan and Madeleine Miranda. Seats are selling rapidly.

ADA REHAN.

Interest in the appearance of Ada Rehan and the Daly Company continues to grow each day. The social importance of the engagement is now assured and the demand for seats is extraordinary.

A SHORT SUMMONS.

Mrs. Milo Farmer Called Away to Lasting Rest.

Mrs. Milo Farmer, nee Clara M. Hayward, died yesterday at her home, 1368 Brush street, after a short illness.

Mrs. Farmer was very well known and very popular in this city, and in her old home in Vallejo. She was a charter member and an organizer of the Mrs. Leland Stanford Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. She was a prominent member of the order of Native Daughters, and was very active in social and charitable affairs. Her husband, H. M. Farmer, is an engineer on the South Pacific Coast Railroad.

Mrs. Farmer was a native of California and was 33 years of age at the time of her death. She leaves a husband and three children.

Ebell's Progress.

The Ebell Society has signed a contract with W. J. Reed for a five year lease of the lower story of a building he will erect especially for the society at the corner of Harrison and Thirteenth streets. The present rooms of the society are in the building on the corner of Washington and Fourteenth streets, but they are considered too small and cramped. The new rooms will be designed especially for the accommodation and convenience of the society.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

WEDNESDAY, May 27, 1896.

P C and Amelie Rossi to West Okd Mutual Loan Assn, E Campbell st 56-3 S 18th st S 25 x E 110 being lot 18 blk 740-A $5.

Wm M Hatfield to H B Mayo, N W-11th st 52 E Center E 52 x N 110 being lot 2 blk 553, Center st Home Lots at Okd Pt subject to a mtge for $5,600 $10.

Huldah F Boyce to Shepherd B Boyce S cor 23d av and E-14th st SW 150 x SE 75 being lots 27, 28 and 29 blk 1, Resub blks 1 and 3 Kennedy tract Gift.

T C Teheson to L W Forsting, SW Prospect av and E-18th st W 110 x S 52-6 being lot 1 and N ½ lot 3 blk G, Daly tract $1,550.

L W Forsting to Frances P Tully wf N C, SW E-18th and Prospect av W 110 x S 52-6 blk G Daly tract $10.

Elizabeth Aldis to Thos and Catherine E Reed, S 18th st 161-8 E Willow st E 25 x S 156 being lot 15 blk 526 Casserly tract at Okd Pit $10.

Florence McArthur to Diana Leavitt, W Chestnut 125 N 30th st N 25 x W 132 blk C, lands of Peralta Hd Assn Gift.

J H T and Henrietta Watkinson to Frederick Prindle, N Linda av 150 W Pleasant Valley av N 110 W 25 N 103.41 W 60.80 S 172.90 E 75.37 to beg being lots 12, 15, 17 and 18 Map of Bowie ppty $5.

Frederick and Nora Prindle to David S Prindle, same $150.

Maynie F Spencer to Jos Zens, N Parker (Eddy) 240 W McGee av N 132-6 W 149-6 to W bdry line Case tract S 133 to N line Parker st E 159-6 to beg being lots 17 to 20 blk 3 case tract $10.

Wm Barry to Daniel A Twiggs, N Virginia st 50 W Bonte av W 50 x N 125 being lot 17 blk 17 Daley's Scenic Park QCD $10.

G H Perry assne of Louis Meyer (Insolvent debtor) to L Fjlord or Fjord all int S Eagle av 100-4¾ W Park st W 110 x S 145 being lots 8 and 9 blk 145 Minturn tract $57.

Why Do You Persist?

In buying poor candies when you can buy the finest and purest for the same price at Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth.

Bay City Flour is purest.

FRATERNAL NEWS.

Continued from page 5.

rendered in a clear and concise manner.

The reappointment of Brother Oldrick for district deputy grand chancellor of district No. 8 was greatly appreciated by all concerned. His indefatigable interest in the order has become proverbial in Pythian circles in Oakland and Alameda.

Tomorrow night Oakland lodge will work the rank of page on one stranger and the rank of esquire on one page. After the session adjourns, Pilgrims M. B. Curtis of Amazon lodge No. 181 and Stanguard of No. 103 will be initiated and introduced in the mysteries of the Oriental realm.

It is pleasing to record that, notwithstanding the dull times which have prevailed during the past year throughout the grand division, the report of the grand chancellor, George Samuels, proves, without fear of contradiction, that the order of Knights of Pythias is the only one of its kindred organizations which has increased in membership during that time in this State to the extent of 400 new names.

Masonic.

The third degree will be conferred in Live Oak lodge No. 61, F. & A. M., tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. The new electric lighting system will be used and special music will be rendered. Brethren are cordially invited.

OAK LEAF LODGE.

At the meeting of Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 35, A. O. U. W., Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Master Workman, Bro. Chas. Dunton; Foreman, Bro. Chas. Phipps; Overseer, Bro. J. A. Colquhoun; Guide, Bro. Wm. Cogan; Inside Guardian, Bro. James McAllister; Outside Guardian, Bro. W. J. Oakes; Trustee, Bro. J. A. C. Macdonald; Organist, Bro. W. B. Ingersoll.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Brothers Dunton, Oakes, Cogan and Greenebaum and also Chief of Honor Mrs. Oakes of Ivy Lodge, No. 4, Degree of Honor, for the handsome emblem of the A. O. U. W. and beautiful easel presented by them, the workmanship of which was the contribution of each of these talented members of the order.

An invitation was received from Pacific Lodge, No. 7, A. O. U. W., inviting Oak Leaf members and their families to a lecture to be given this evening at A. O. U. W. Hall, Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, by Past Grand Master Workman Rogers, the subject of which is entitled "The Economic Law of the Sermon on the Mount."

One new member was received into the lodge by card. Two applications for membership were also received and two members were elected by ballot.

Next Monday two new members will be initiated.

Brother Hall stated that directly after Oakland Lodge adjourned Friday evening, the new Past Master Workmen's Association will convene.

It was announced that Past Master Workman Johns will deliver an address before Oakland Lodge tomorrow evening. All present were invited to attend.

Brother Joseph Harris made some interesting remarks pertinent to the order. His argument why every member should attend the lodge as often as possible was logical and convincing. He related an incident which occurred lately, showing the trouble caused in the family of a deceased brother by the failure of that brother to attend lodge meetings.

Grand Recorder D. S. Hirshberg gave a very pleasant account of his visit to Valley Lodge, San Francisco, on the evening of May 23d. He stated that this lodge, one year ago, had only forty-three members, but now, thanks to its energetic officers, and especially its Master Workman, 123 members are enrolled. The eloquent brother stated that all along the line A. O. U. W. interests are booming in the most encouraging manner, and that a wonderful increase in the ranks of the order will be seen before the end of the year.

Degree of Honor.

A very large attendance was present at the meeting of Ivy Lodge, No. 4, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., last Wednesday evening. As announced at the previous meeting, Past Grand Chief of Honor Mrs. Stewart was present to bid adieu prior to her departure to the Superior Grand Lodge, Degree of Honor, Convention, which meets in Buffalo, N. Y., on June 11th and 12th.

Sister Stewart is the representative to the Superior Grand Lodge elected at the Grand Lodge, Degree of Honor, Convention, lately held in San Francisco.

The lady outlined what her policy would be in the interests of the California Degree of Honor Lodges. She also thanked Ivy Lodge for its magnanimous share in making the Grand Lodge entertainment and reception the success it was.

Past Grand Chief of Honor Stewart stated that she would leave San Francisco for the East Sunday evening, May 31st, a few days prior to the departure of the other delegates, as she was desirous of stopping over for a few days in Chicago. Those desirous of bidding Sister Stewart adieu may meet her at the pier 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

Three new members were initiated at the last meeting. Several applications for membership were received. Sister Donaldson, Chairman of the Dramatic Committee, reported progress and specially requested all the members of the committee to be present at her residence, 500 Twenty-fourth street, Friday evening. She also desired any member of the lodge who wished to do so, to be present also.

An invitation was received from Pacific Lodge inviting Ivy Lodge to the lecture to be given this evening by Past Grand Master Workman Rogers at A. O. U. W. Hall.

The following short but excellent programme was presented by the new Attraction Committee: Recitation, "Mary McGuire," Sister Donaldson; song, "Do Not Forget Me," with guitar accompaniment, Past Chief of Honor Mrs. Cogan; reading, "Aunt Melissa Smart," Sister Van Court; song, "Love Me When I'm Old," Chief of Honor, Mrs. Oakes.

Sisters Carr and Mitchell made a few eloquent remarks. Brother and Sister Ingler received congratulations on the heroic conduct of their oldest son at the fire at their residence, and were requested to induce him to join Ivy Lodge as soon as he is eligible.

Sister of Ceremonies Mrs. Hodges was present, after several weeks' absence in the country, as was also Brother Hodges.

The new Attraction Committee appointed for next meeting comprises Sisters Dubois (chairman) and Smith and Carr. Among those present were Grand Lady of Honor Mrs. Mayon, Grand Recorder Mrs. Poland, Sister and Brother Tirrell and Brother Stewart of Silver Spray Lodge, San Francisco, Sisters Young and Brother Young of Silver Star, Temescal.

The election of officers was postponed until next meeting, as Grand Recorder Mrs. Poland stated that it would have been in violation of the constitution and by-laws to have held an election last Wednesday evening.

The Peoples' Express.

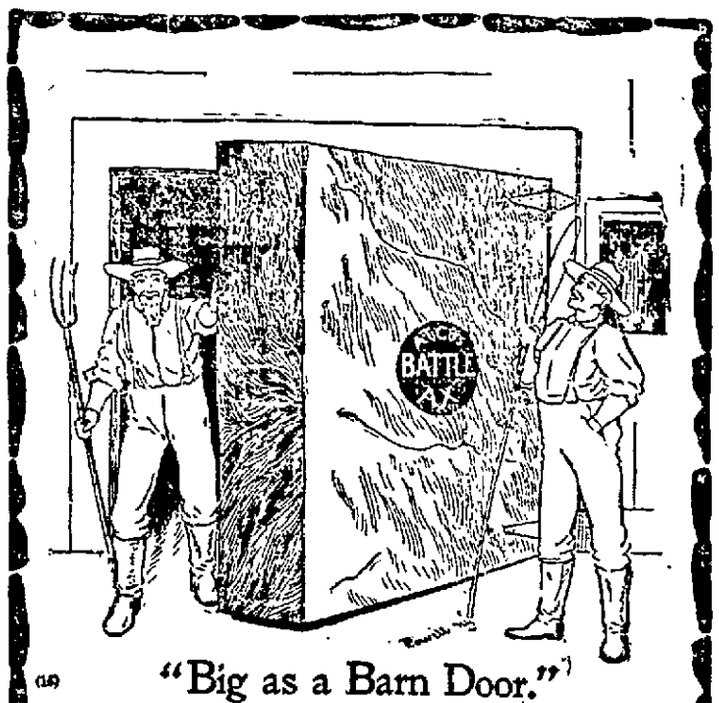
The popular People's Express Company has moved its office quarters into the brick building at the northeast corner of Ninth street and Broadway. The new location will be a convenient and accessible one for the public. The People's Express Company have always enjoyed a large patronage principally because their business methods have proved to be satisfactory and honorable.

Special Notice—Our Lease

Having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh street, by May 15th. Household goods sacrificed at half price. Now is your chance. H. Schellhaas, 468 Eleventh street.

Monarch Baking Powder is the purest.

ADVERTISEMENTS.



"Big as a Barn Door."

BattleAx PLUG

For 10 cents you get almost twice as much "Battle Ax" as you do of other high grade goods. Before the days of "Battle Ax" consumers paid 10 cents for a small plug of the same quality. Now, "Battle Ax"—Highest Grade, twice the quantity. That's true economy.

NEVADA LIVERY AND BOARDING STABLE

Northwest Corner EIGHTH AND HARRISON STS
OAKLAND, CAL.

Particular attention paid to Boarders.
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Riding Horses a specialty. Telephone 418.

Hacks at All Hours. N. E. RIGNEY, Prop.

FOR RENT, ROOM 60x70 FT.

With or Without Power. Convenient Offces.
—APPLY TO—
THE OAKLAND ELECTRIC LIGHT AND MOTOR CO.
Cor. Second and Webster Streets

BROWN & McKINNON —OLDEST— Merchant Tailors IN OAKLAND.

We carry a full line of desirable staple goods and latest novelties.
. . . SPRING GOODS JUST IN . . .
Evarts Block - - - 1108 BROADWAY.

Waverley BICYCLES.
LADIES' $75
MEN'S $85
$5 First Payment { Can you afford to be without one? { $2 Per Week
S. W. COR. THIRTEENTH AND WASHINGTON STS.

WINES IN THEIR PURITY

Are nature's stimulants—that is, when they are the honest product of the grape without adulteration. It is equally true of

BRANDIES AND WHISKIES

To be healthful they must be pure and fresh. We have reached out

FOR FAMILY TRADE EXCLUSIVELY—

Because we deal only in Wines, Brandies and Whiskies, selected for purity and value.

SEND TO US—
SEE US, or
TELEPHONE TO No. 59.
For a sample order. You will be satisfied.

J. J. HANIFIN & CO., Wholesale Wine and Liquor Merchants
417 FOURTEENTH STREET.

TRY THE NEW BREW OF

The Buffalo Brewing Co.

Ask your nearest dealer for it. If he hasn't got it, write, send or telephone us and we will see that you get it.

HANSON & KAHLER, Agts.,
Tel. 458. S. E. cor. 8th and Webster Sts.

THESPIAN TALENT.

Stage Struck Students Are Very Much in Evidence.

BERKELEY ON THE LIST.

The Senior Class Intends to Astonish the Local Natives.

DOINGS AT THE UNIVERSITY.

A Number of the Professors Off for Summer Vacations.

BERKELEY, May 28.—The senior class of the Berkeley High School will present Mrs. Burton Harrison's comedy "Two Strings to Her Bow" in Shattuck Hall on class day, June 9th. The cast will be as follows: M. Dumesniel, Mr. Hughes; Mme. Dumesniel, Miss May Howell; Cecile, daughter of Dumesniel, Miss Stella West; Condray, godfather of Cecile, Richard Hazeltine; De Leceval, suitor to Cecile, Mark White; Baptiste, servant, Carl Parker.

The High School orchestra will furnish music. Previous to the presentation of the play, the class historian, Ray Simonds, and the class prophets, Miss Jennie Ellison and Miss Thompson, will read the past and future of the class of '96.

AN EXODUS OF THE PROFESSORS.

There has been a general exodus of late among the University professors.

President Kellogg has gone to Suisun for a short visit.

Director and Mrs. Magee of the physical culture department have started for the Yosemite, where they will spend the summer.

Professor Corey and a party of students have started on a tramp to Mount Ritter.

Professor Plehn has gone to Shasta County and will spend several weeks there.

Professor Elmer Brown will spend the summer in the Yosemite and so will Professor Letchel and Instructor Jepson of the botanical department.

Professor Moses leaves this evening for Chicago.

A CHINESE FUNERAL.

A little Chinese baby, the child of George and Nien Fong was buried from an undertaking establishment yesterday and interred in Mountain View Cemetery. The parents, who are Christians, desired to give their baby a Christian burial, but on account of the lack of funds, they were compelled to dispense with religious exercises in the church.

A JEWISH MISSIONARY.

Rev. Herman Warzawiak, the Jewish missionary of New York City, gave an interesting lecture last evening in the First Presbyterian Church. He was formerly a Jewish rabbi and he told the story of his conversion and the work among the Jews. He appealed to his audience for aid for the Jewish people.

A CENTURY PLANT TO BLOOM.

The huge century plant standing in the botanical gardens of the State University is preparing to blossom. The plant is about twenty-five feet in height and the stalk of the blossom is nearly eighteen feet above the leafy portion of the plant. The stalk is expected to grow fifteen or twenty feet more in the next couple of weeks and then it will blossom.

A MINSTREL SHOW.

The Berkeley Gymnasium Preparatory School for boys will give a musical and minstrel show in the assembly hall of the school this evening. The participants in the minstrel show are: H. Cornish, interlocutor; H. Squires, C. H. Mehlert, end men; F. Sharon, H. Belmour, A. Harvey, D. Harvey, E. Gundelfinger, A. Donnely, W. McDowell, F. Gusia, G. Cobelentz, A. Brune. The comnedietta, "Bengal Tiger" will also be given.

THE TALBO TESTIMONIAL.

A Choice Programme for Tonight at the Unitarian Church.

A soiree musicale will be given this evening at the First Unitarian Church. It will be a testimonial in honor of Ugo Talbo, the famous tenor. The concert will undoubtedly be one of the most excellent entertainments given here for some time, for all of the participants are favorites with Oakland audiences. Mme. Yda de Seminario, the soprano, who is the best dramatic singer on the coast, will give "Elsie's Dream," from "Lohengrin." Her voice is really wonderful, and her rendition of this beautiful song is magnificent.

Miss Gretchen Burnett, who is a singer comparatively new in musical circles, will give several selections, one of them being "Angels' Visit," a song written expressly for Talbo by Schira. Talbo made the song famous in London, where it was considered the gem of his repertoire. Miss Burnett will sing the song with piano and organ accompaniment. She will also give "Lieti Signor" from the Huguenots.

A quartette, consisting of Messrs. Clark, Bangs, Melvin and Carleton, will be sure to win favor with the audience. Adolph Auerbach will give several selections from famous German composers. Ugo Talbo will give several songs, and this is enough in itself to assure the success of the concert. Bernhard Mollenhauer, the popular violinist, is on the programme for several numbers. Hugo Mansfeldt and the violinist will render Beethoven's "Kreutzer Sonata," which is said to be exquisitely played by these two great artists. The accompanists of the evening will be William King, Mrs. Julius Crist, H. O. Hunt and Mr. Katzenback.

The grand finale will come in the celebrated quartette from "Rigoletti," and the singers will be Madame de Seminario, Miss Burnett, Ugo Talbo and Harry Melvin. With such a rich programme, the Unitarian Church promises to be crowded to the doors.

FOR WORK OR PLEASURE.

Grass Linen Supplies Work and Dainty Gowning.

Grass linen is furnishing the summer girl her veranda work, for from it this summer she will make drawn work handkerchiefs. Very fetching little bits of finery will they be, and very appropriate when used with the grass lawn gown which she will, perforce, be obliged to wear.

That grass lawn gown—how far reaching are the materials from which it may be selected. If one is forced to economy, she may secure the plain lawn at as low a price as 15 cents. Not quite so fine as one would have, it is true, but such as will make up into quite a pretty gown. Or, if one is able to pay a little better price, the plain material may be paid for all the way to a dollar a yard. After that come the stripes and dots, ranging from $1.50 to $3 a yard. Then the embroidered ones. They are delicate, flimsy, truly ravishing affairs, dear to the feminine woman, who foregoes the pleasure of having several gowns in her anxiety to secure one of these materials.

Not only are the grass lawns so bewitching, but the linings of taffeta are as fascinating as any woman could wish. And as though the shimmer of the silk through the lawn were not enough, lace must be introduced wherever there is a possible excuse, and a brilliant stripe of color is the result.

Another charming innovation introduced by the grass lawn gown is the ornament of batiste or grass linen embroidery. These ornaments are vari-shaped — crescents, symmetrical bows, Greek crosses, fleur de lis—and are used to adorn the skirts of grass lawn or batiste gowns.

Bay City Flour makes the best bread.

The best and coolest glass of beer in Oakland; pool and billiard tables. The Montana, corner Ninth and Broadway.

Girardo Company Tamales.

The Girardo Tamale Company of Thirteenth and Broadway, with factory in the Reliance Club Building continues to manufacture the finest tamale made in Oakland, or anywhere else. They are also sold on street corners. Try them.

Our Napa Soda lemonade is the best in Oakland. Boquet Bros., Gallado Hotel bar.

Above all others—SPERRY'S FAMILY FLOUR.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

L. S. CHURCH, Assignee, Plaintiff, vs. MARIA ANDERSON ET AL., Defendants. | No. 10,006.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 30th day of April, 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein W. R. Thomas, as receiver, defendant and cross-complainant, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against L. S. Church, assignee and plaintiff herein, and Maria Anderson, J. F. Anderson, Mary Kruger and C. L. Anderson, defendants, on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1896, for the sum of four thousand three hundred and ninety-eight and 87-100 dollars, including principal and interest accrued to the date of said judgment, costs and counsel fees and interest from the date of said judgment, which said judgment and decree was, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 256, I am commanded to sell all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the southeasterly line of Thirteenth avenue (formerly Walker street), and distant thereon seventy-five (75) feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East Fifteenth street (formerly Madison street); and running thence northeasterly along said line of Thirteenth avenue seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southeasterly parallel with East Fifteenth street seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southwesterly parallel with said Thirteenth avenue seventy-five (75) feet; and thence at right angles northwesterly parallel with said East Fifteenth street seventy-five (75) feet to the point of commencement.

Public notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1896

at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Oakland, April 30th, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
S. P. HALL, Attorney for Plaintiff.

POSTPONEMENT.

Public notice is hereby given that the above sale is postponed until Tuesday, June 2d, 1896, at the same hour and place.

Oakland, May 26, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
Commissioner.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of C. A. Seifert, in insolvency.

L. Guggenhime, assignee of the above named insolvent debtor, having filed in this Court his petition, praying for an order to sell the stock of drugs, chemicals, fixtures, etc., formerly used in the business conducted by said insolvent debtor at private sale or public auction.

It is hereby ordered, that Monday, the 8th day of June, 1896, at the Court-room of Department No. 2 of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time and place for the hearing of said petition; and that this order be published in Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, as often as said paper is published before the day set for the hearing of said petition; and that the Clerk of this Court forthwith serve by United States mail postage prepaid, or personally, upon all of the creditors named in said schedule, a copy of this order, as and for a notice of the hearing of said petition.

Dated May 27th, 1896.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge.
JOS. KIRK and M. MARCUSE, Att'ys for Assignee

The Shirt Song

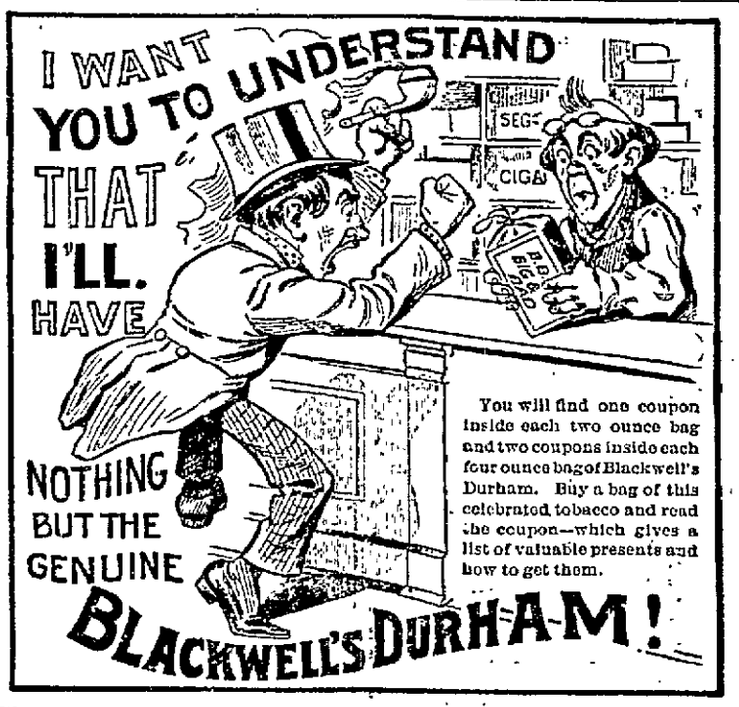
"COLORED BOSOM PERFECT FITTING NOBBY DESIGNS LOW PRICE."

NOTICE the elegant display of these shirts in our Show Windows this week.

KELLER & FITZGERALD,
Gents' Furnishers and Shirt Makers,
1007 BROADWAY, BET 10TH AND 11TH STS., OAKLAND.

LOOK FOR THE BLUE SHIRT SIGN

ADVERISEMENTS.



FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS

A Large Water Color Portrait and one dozen Cabinet Photos For $3 only A FINE CHANCE DON'T MISS IT.

First-class work for almost nothing. Call at once at Studio and see about another special Premium Portrait that is offered in connection with above.

J. D. OTTNAT, 1119 Jefferson St., Cor. 13th.

GREAT CLEARING SALE!

"PRICES STILL LOWER."

There are yet $2000 worth of Fine Groceries to be sold at

A. I. SMILIE'S

473-475 12th St. near Washington

Goods will be sold regardless of cost as all must be disposed of within the next ten days.

ALSO—2 horses, 2 wagons, 1 road cart, 3 sets harness, safe, cash register, 1 coffee mill, shelving, counters, etc., will be sold this week very cheap.

A. I. SMILIE.

Dashaway Stables

F. R. WILLIAMSON, Proprietor.

370 ELEVENTH STREET

Between Franklin and Webster,

OAKLAND, CAL.

Livery, Sale AND Boarding Stable

Special Attention Given to Boarders and Country Patrons.

TEL. 645.

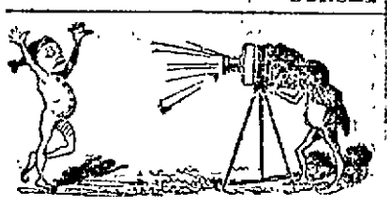
GO TO R. WICKMAN,

First Class Watch and Clock Repairing. 1251 Broadway, Above 14th St.

SUNSET DAIRY.

Our milk has been tested and found to have the Highest Per Centage of Butter Fats. Address orders to

F. A. MORRELL,
SUNSET DAIRY, Edith, Piedmont, Oakland



WE'LL TAKE YOU, YOUR BABY, YOUR HOUSE, YOUR FAMILY, YOUR GARDEN

WE'LL GO TO YOU ANY DAY YOU WRITE OR SAY OR TELEPHONE

GROUPS $3 a DOZEN
SINGLE, - 50c UP

NOVELTY FOTO CO. 865 Broadway

STARKWEATHER'S, 475 11th St. BUYS AND SELLS OLD BOOKS

Harper's, Cosmopolitan, Sanborn's' Review of Reviews for 5c each. Complete Volume for 50c
Zell's Condensed Cyclopædia for $2.50. 10 volumes Americanized Encyclopædia Britannica, $10
250 Envelopes, No. 5, for 25c. Perfection Linen (note size paper) ¼ ream, 25c
One dozen Writing Tablets (letter size) 35c.

THE NATIONAL LEADS!

Leads in materials, workmanship and finish, Better take a look at it before you buy!

F. W. McPIKE,
234 SAN PABLO AVE.

Clear Mild La Forde 10c STRAIGHT 2 for 25c — Fragrant Havana Piedmont For Sale in Leading Cigar Stores

JACKSON'S NAPA SODA 75c per Dozen, delivered anywhere in the county. See that Jackson's name is on each bottle.

GEO. ADAMS,
Tel. Main 1017. 313 TENTH STREET

IT COSTS BUT LITTLE TO READ GOOD NOVELS

Latest Periodicals, Stationery and Notions. All the works of Richard Savage at 25c.

If you call at the Right Place OAKLAND NEWS DEPOT, 470 SEVENTH ST

OLD SCANDINAVIAN DAIRY

PURE SWEET MILK AND CREAM

DELIVERED TWICE DAILY.

Send Orders to P. O. Box 632, East Oakland. S. NIELSEN, Proprietor

WILHELM'S FINE STATIONERY, PICTURES, MIRRORS & FRAMING SPECIALTY ART STORE, MOULDINGS, ARTIST'S MATERIALS, ETC. S.W. COR 12TH & CLAY OAKLAND, CAL.

THE AMERICAN TEA COMPANY HAS BEEN OPENED AT 215 San Pablo Ave., bet. 16th & 17th

By G. A. HOLSTE, for many years connected with the Great American Tea Co.

BEST TEAS, COFFEE, SPICES, EXTRACTS, CROCKERY

HALF the baby and all his baby beauty is fat. SCOTT'S EMULSION

Folding & Plain Desks

OFFICE AND SCHOOL FURNITURE, OPERA AND CHURCH CHAIRS.

C. F. WEBER & CO.
Post and Stockton Streets, S. F.

Summer Resorts.

Sisson Tavern, Sisson.

NOW OPEN.

Situated at base of Mount Shasta. Elevation 3400 feet; beautiful scenery; delightful climate. No poison oak. Guides furnished for ascent of Mount Shasta and camping parties. Stages leave tavern for McCloud river fishing resort. Terms, $10 and $12 per week.

MRS. L. M. SISSON, Proprietor, Sisson, Cal.

TAVERN OF CASTLE CRAG

QUEEN of all MOUNTAIN RESORTS

The Tavern of Castle Crag, the most beautiful, attractive and accessible of all mountain resorts, Will open for the reception of guests June 1, and will close October 1, 1896.

GEORGE SCHÖNEWALD, MANAGER
Room 59, UNION TRUST BUILDING, San Francisco.

FOUND AT LAST

The Best Camping Spot on the Coast—Most Beautiful Spot on Earth.

Dr. C. C. O'Donnell's Mineral Springs at Glen Ellen, Sonoma County, Cal.

The analysis of the water of these springs proves them the greatest remedy for lung diseases, liver, stomach and bladder complaints, rheumatism, catarrh, etc., in the world. The springs are 46 miles from San Francisco via the S. F. & N. P. or S. P. Ry. Co. Four trains daily. The bathing is healthful, luxurious and stimulating. Fish and game are abundant. The grounds are bounded by the Sonoma and Calabezas creeks. Twenty cottages of from 3 to 5 rooms are beautifully shaded by luxurious trees. Many pleasant drives are to be had in the adjoining canyons. Church on the grounds. Four stores, butcher shop, grocery, etc. Prices lower than in San Francisco. Eggs, 2 doz., 25c; chickens, $3.50 per doz.; butter, 2 lbs, 25c; pure milk, 5c per quart. Cottages furnished with stove, benches and table; $10 to $15 per month. Address

DR. C. C. O'DONNELL,
At his office
1206 Market St., - San Francisco.

THE BARTLETT SPRINGS

HAVE THE MERITED REPUTATION OF being one of the WONDERS of the WORLD, and seekers of pleasure and lovers of sight-seeing, as well as those in search of HEALTH, will be well paid by visiting them.

The Finest Summer Climate in California.

LARGE NEW SWIMMING TANK.

A Positive Cure for Rheumatism, Liver, Kidney and Stomach Troubles.

TERMS.....$10 TO $15 PER WEEK

Two Routes to the Springs, S. P. Co. and S. F. and N. P. Railway.

Address all correspondence to BARTLETT SPRINGS COMPANY, 22 Fourth street, S. F.

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES

Reclamation District No. 82.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County and State of California, made on the 18th day of May, 1896, an election will be held on the 20th day of June, 1896, for the purpose of electing three Trustees for Reclamation District No. 82, in the County of Alameda and State of California. The polls for the holding of such election are hereby located at Riverside Hotel, in Alvarado, County of Alameda, State of California, and the polls shall be kept open from the hours of ten A. M. until four P. M. of said day.

For the purpose of conducting said election, J. L. Beard has been appointed Inspector and Phil Rohrbacher and B. F. Barton have been appointed Judges of said election, each of the above named persons appearing by the records of the County of Alameda to be landholders in said Reclamation District.

Dated this 18th day of May, 1896.

(Seal) HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors of Alameda County and State of California.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids and proposals will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County on June 1st, 1896, at 11 o'clock of said day, at the rooms of said Board in the annex to the Hall of Records in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, for the construction of three bridges in the Alvarado Road District in said County and on the road leading from Alvarado to Centerville; all bids to be accompanied by plans and specifications for the construction of each of the three bridges, together with a certified check for $250, payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of said Board of Supervisors, conditioned that the party will enter into the contract and give such bond as may be required by law; The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids as the public good may require.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of John Kelly, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of John Kelly, deceased, and for the issuance to James Daly of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 8th day of June, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 26th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
JOHN J. McDONALD and FITZGERALD & ABBOTT, Attorneys for Petitioner.

Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company.

Commencing on the 28th day of May, 1896, and during the time requirol to repair, paint and varnish our cars the service will be ten minutes.

Circulars giving the time at different points can be had from the conductors.

On Decoration Day the Eighth Street Cars will run to Fortieth and Grove streets between the hours of 8 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M.

May 26, 1896.

A. K. GRIM,
Superintendent.

LEGAL.

NOTICE TO VOTERS!

REGISTRATION!

Office of the County Clerk,
Alameda Co., State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

Of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue until 85 days before the next General Election, to-wit, to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor, without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk, at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits and when names are entered on the Great Register, postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.
(Seal.)

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1896 is now due and payable at my office, Room One, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his Deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemean and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ASSESSOR'S

Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 16th, 1896, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1896,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 16th, 1896, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1896.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of Ernest Albert Nordhausen, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Ernest Albert Nordhausen, deceased, and for the issuance to C. C. Nordhausen of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 1st day of June, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 16th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
W. F. WILLIAMSON, Attorney.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of George Mills, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of George Mills, deceased, and for the issuance to B. McFadden of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 8th day of June, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 25th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

FOOTE RED-EYED.

He Is for M. J. Laymance for Delegate to the National Convention.

HIS REASONS SET FORTH.

Daggett and Irish Trying to Discredit Foote in His Own Home.

THE S. P. AND THE A. P. A.

Bitter Fighting Is Going on in the Third and Sixth Wards.

The Examiner and Call of this morning size up the contest now going on in Democratic circles here as a war between John Daggett and Bob Fitzgerald on one side and W. W. Foote and M. J. Laymance on the other. The ward enrollment is larger than it has ever been in the history of the county.

In the Third ward, which is the banner Republican ward of Oakland, the Democratic enrollment is already about 250. John P. Irish and Billy Mullins have formed a combination in the interest of the Daggett wing, while W. B. White, son of the postmaster, and Frank J. Moffitt are hustling for the Foote end. Daggett has said that he would knock Foote's head off if he (Foote) poked it up in this ward. Whether he will be able to carry his threat out or not remains to be seen. The ward candidates for delegate are John J. McDonald, who favors Fitzgerald for district delegate, and John P. Irish for delegate-at-large and the Daggett programme generally, and opposed to him is William B. White who favors Laymance for district delegate and the arrangement favorable to W. W. Foote Congressman J. G. Maguire and others.

In the Sixth ward there are six employes of the Mint, who are all anxious for the Daggett machine. The enrollment is very large and the feeling between the factions is very bitter. The Examiner has this to say of the contest this morning:

FOOTE SPEAKS OUT.

The Foote-Daggett war is concentrating more and more on the Laymance-Fitzgerald fracas in Alameda County. The Fitzgerald men there have been saying that they are not fighting Foote, and that Foote was really not in earnest in Laymance's behalf. But yesterday Foote declared himself in that fight and in to stay.

"I'm red-eyed for Laymance, if anybody wants to know where I stand," he said, with his usual emphasis. "In the first place my friends in the County Committee of Alameda County proposed that they should appoint one delegate-at-large to the State Convention and that the ward from which he was appointed should then be shorn of one delegate. Fitzgerald opposed this. He wanted the place himself. But my friends were in the majority, he withdrew, and I was appointed. When they moved to make the selection unanimous Fitzgerald's brother, the Labor Commissioner, Cleve Dam, his deputy, and Ole Vinzent, his henchmen, declined to make it so.

"Yet they say they are not fighting me. I know Daggett is fighting me, and I know that he is helping Fitzgerald. So I want it distinctly understood that I am for Laymance right down the line.

"I'm for Laymance because I want a solid delegation of anti-railroad, anti-A. P. A. men behind me, and I want a solid delegation to aid me in my fight against Daggett. What I want to go to the Convention for is to introduce a strong anti-A. P. A. resolution and a strong anti-railroad resolution—just as strong anti-railroad as Daggett would like to see it strong the other way. I believe I'm more entitled to a solid delegation from my own county than John Daggett is, and I believe I'm going to get it."

The Call has this to say concerning the fight:

FOOT MUST BE BEAT

Stripped of all verbiage and told in a sentence the fight is anything to prevent W. W. Foote from going as a delegate to Chicago.

There are a hundred or more sidelights and grievances and personalities thrown around the central object, but the main point to be fought out at the primary to be held in this county on the 5th of June is whether John Daggett is stronger in Oakland and its environments than W. W. Foote. It has been called a fight between Prison Director R. M. Fitzgerald and M. J. Laymance, chairman of the County Committee, and a dozen other cloaks have been thrown over it, but when bedrock is reached the fight is between Foote and Daggett, both of whom are anxious to be United States Senator.

It is the current chapter of the old Stockton convention rumpus of many years ago, when Foote was on the Railroad Commission, and which resulted in Daggett being read out of the party by his political opponents. For several years after that Daggett was lost to the world politically while energetically employed insearching for gold in his Siskiyou mines. While Daggett was absent from the front Foote built up an anti-monopoly record which he has since maintained.

Closely allied with Mr. Foote throughout has been William D. English and his friends in Alameda County, including Postmaster J. J. White, P. E. Dalton, ex-Sheriff McKillican, ex-Senator Frank J. Moffitt, M. J. Laymance and others.

DAGGETT AND IRISH.

Supporting Mr. Daggett are John P. Irish, John R. Glascock, R. M. Fitzgerald and F. A. Fletcher, who is supposed to be the representative of Collector Welborn. Mr. Foote is a candidate for the National Convention and has a very strong hold on the political heart of Alameda County's Democracy. Daggett realized this, and as soon as he was installed in the Mint he carried the war into Foote's district and bestowed patronage where it would be most valuable. Even now some of Daggett's friends have expressed their intention to vote for Foote, but as they intend to couple their support of Foote with that of John Daggett and John P. Irish their friendship for W. W. Foote is decidedly neutral. * * * Daggett certainly has everything his own way in the First Ward, and as this is preeminently a railroad ward the Foote men are making the most of the point involved, as Daggett's influence with the railroad is presumed to be potential. It is said that Daggett has a block of passes at the Mint and that he has invited a lot of strolling delegates to Oakland.

W. B. White is the candidate of the Foote wing. He is the son of the postmaster and a hard fighter. The Daggett-Fitzgerald wing has nominated John McDonald, and he also is actively at work.

A BODY BLOW.

The rumor is in circulation that Laymance is a member of the A. P. A., but he denied this positively this afternoon and said it was a canard circulated to create a prejudice against him in certain quarters. * * * Mr. Foote lives in the Third Ward, and it is believed that a body blow can be dealt him if the candidate who favors his aspirations to be a National delegate most can be downed.

Altogether it is a very interesting condition of affairs, and whether Foote will be downed in his own home and given only negative support or upheld and given a positive support remains to be determined on the 5th of next month.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss May Lund of Stockton is visiting Mrs. R. E. Frosting of Nineteenth avenue.

Mrs. McDonald of San Francisco is visiting Mrs. Morrison.

Mrs. M. Trower is visiting her son, Charlie Trower of Napa.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Kenyon are in Napa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leechman are in Santa Cruz.

A. S. Corman is in Vallejo.

The students of the Berkeley gymnasium will give a musical and dramatic entertainment this evening.

Judge Woods who has been spending a few days in Moraga Valley is back again.

Mrs. C. A. Grosjean of San Pedro is visiting friends in this city.

William Decker and family start for Europe June 2nd.

Mrs. Dora Cramer and her niece Miss Belle Cramer, have gone to Monterey for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. White and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas will make a trip to Mount Hamilton tomorrow and will return Monday.

Charles E. White of Twenty-third avenue has gone to his mine at Pine Grove, Amador County.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Crouch and Miss Bertha Crouch have left Chico for the East. They will spend the summer in Minnesota.

Mrs. G. N. Easton, her daughter and maid, leave for their home in Chicago today after a four months visit with her father, J. W. Phillips of East Oakland.

A testimonial entertainment will be tendered to Miss Lotta L. Anthony by her friends at Y. M. C. A. Hall, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Ed. Edes, accompanied by her son, is passing a couple of months here with her mother, Mrs. Scanlan.

SLAMBERG THE WINNER.

He Beats Tye and Is Now Champion of the Coast.

Muller Gets the Second Place After a Rattling Hard Fight.

The finals in the boxing tournament at the Acme Club brought out a larger crowd than on the opening night. All the sports were there, and a great many who lay no claim to such distinction were also in evidence.

That the fighting was to be for blood every one knew, for the matches were to decide the championship in the lightweight class on the coast.

Tye and Slamberg, both of the Acme Club, had the only show for first place, as they were the two winners of firsts on the previous night. The loser of this contest was to be put up against Muller of the San Francisco Manhattan Club. Muller won one fight from Gooby previously, but also lost another, consequently he could not be in it for first place.

Early in the evening it was announced that Muller would not fight for second money, but later he changed his mind.

LOCKRA AND GOOBY.

The fun opened with a three round setto between Lockra and Gooby, the latter the loser of the former fight with Muller.

The first round ended with honors even. Gooby received some severe punches and Lockra proved himself clever in ducking counters.

The second round was a repetition of the first, though Lockra landed some fine blows and cleverly eluded several more right hand counters. If any one had the advantage, he certainly did.

The last round was as uneventful as the previous one, but when the gong sounded Lockra had the better of it.

FOX AND DELANEY.

Jim Fox of the Acme next stood up for a three round exhibition match with James Delaney. This was a regular love feast, and both contestants were all smiles.

The first round was all in fighting and gentle taps.

The second round was a give and take affair, and by their gentle taps the men showed what they might have done if they were in earnest. The round caused much amusement, for while scientific it was all in fun.

The last round was just as amusing as the others.

When it was announced that Muller had decided to contest for second prize the house fairly yelled, for it was then assured that a decidedly interesting event was in anticipation, Muller having asserted that it was to be a finish or nothing.

HAMMERSLEY AND VICINI.

Hammersley of the Acme Club and Vicini of the Olympic Club next entertained with another three round match. Both men were clever exponents of the manly art, but no good fighting was done, though the exhibition was pleasing.

TYE AND SLAMBERG.

When Tye and Slamberg stepped into the ring, the same officials that served on the former night took their positions.

A summary of the fight was as follows:

First round—Both men clinched frequently. Tye landed on Slamberg's wind often, and in turn took several pretty clips on the point of the chin and neck.

Second round—Tye got in some good body blows and Slamberg followed up with punches in the face. Slamberg landed heavily on Tye's wind, and then some close in-fighting followed. At the end of the round neither had the advantage, though Tye took considerable punishment.

Third round—Slamberg landed good face and body blows, and though Tye also got in his work, the round ended in the former's favor.

Last round—Tye cleverly ducked a right hand counter, and nearly had his opponent off his feet at one time. An exchange of blows and counters followed close in-figating, but before any more good work could be done, the gong sounded.

The judges awarded the fight to Slamberg, who now stands as the champion light-weight of the coast.

TYE AND MULLER.

The last event of the evening was one of the best. Tye, the loser of the former event, stood up against Muller, who made his first appearance for the night. Neither of the men loved each other any too well, and when the gong rang they came to the center with a rush.

First round—Muller took the offensive and landed a heavy blow on Tye's jaw; a clinch followed and then Tye landed lightly in Muller's face. Blows were exchanged in quick succession. The round ended in Muller's favor.

Second round—Tye started out for blood at the sound of the gong and got in some quick work. Muller followed up, but Tye came in heavily with a right hand counter on the jaw. Body blows and punches in the face nearly set Muller off his feet. The round ended decidedly in Tye's favor, and when he went to his corner he was given an ovation.

Third round—Both men fought shy for a minute and each was on the aggressive. A side counter staggered Tye, and he dropped to his knees. Before nine seconds were counted he was on his feet again, and then got in some fine face blows, but a right hand counter felled him to the floor again, and nearly put him out. However, he regained his feet in time and fought shy till the gong sounded. Muller won the honors in this round.

Last round—Both men fought in close, but before any hard work could be done it was evident that Tye, who had not recovered from the pervious right hander, was still dazed. A straight poke on the chin again mixed him up, and while staggering Muller came at him heavily, virtually settling the fight. Tye could not hold up his hands, and though Muller was anxious to knock him out, Van Court stepped into the ring and dragged the Acme boy to his corner in time to save him. The fight and second money were awarded to Muller.

The fact that Tye had already been engaged in a hard contest told against him, as with only fifteen minutes' rest he could not be expected to do as well as a fresh man. Those who know say that, despite the decision, Tye is the better man of the two.

To the Acme men who arranged the meet much credit is due. At all times the crowd was kept orderly and the sport was good. Van Court probably did more than any one else to contribute to the success of the meet, and is to be congratulated on the results of his work.

The "new woman" came in for her share of the entertainment. Two of them appeared, clad in wondrous make-ups. However, they happened also to be Acme athletes, and with the assistance of a couple of "gentlemen friends" performed some clever feats.

On May 30th the bantam weight championship contests will take place at the Oakland Athletic Club, and some good men will enter.

COMMITTEE WORK.

The Ordinance and Judiciary Board Holds a Session.

The Finance Committee of the Council failed to turn out a quorum last night and the Mayor's complaint of the City Engineer's expenditure of funds was not settled. Manuel, Buckland and Towle were the only councilmen on hand and as they constituted a majority of the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee, they disposed of what little work was before that body.

The matter of the license on the Davie wharf was laid over until the next meeting.

The ordinance placing a license on telephones and J. T. Wallace's complaint, that two persons claiming to be pound men had wrongfully taken his cow were postponed for a week.

The resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for removing garbage was referred to Chairman Manuel for him to look over and report on the plans and specifications which were attached to the resolution.

The ordinances directing the opening of Fourteenth street from Market to Myrtle street and the grading of Sherman street were passed to print.

Court Notes.

D. Henshaw Ward has been appointed administrator of the estate of Fanny E. Shafter.

Margaretha Schneider requested that her son, August Schneider, be appointed administrator of the estate of Matthew Schneider, deceased.

H. A. Mayhew, Geo. A. Abel and Charles A. Taber have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the late W. A. Holcomb.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

English and Scotch TWEEDS

In our tailoring department we are showing a line of Suitings imported direct from the manufacturers especially for our Spring trade. No other house on the Coast has, or can obtain the same goods. The patterns are select and make up handsomely. We guarantee the goods, the workmanship and the fit.

Our Bicycle Suits receive the same careful attention given all our clothes.

M. J. KELLER COMPANY.

1105, 1107, 1109 BROADWAY, Oakland.

No. 19.

A CLEVER CLASS.

Mills Seminary the Scene of a Very Charming Event.

GRADUATING EXERCISES HELD.

Beautiful Decorations Were Displayed in the Hall.

A MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

Dr. Bartlett Elected President of the Board of Trustees.

Mills College was filled with happy faced girls yesterday on the occasion of the graduating exercises of the Class of '96. The many friends of the pupils and school were in attendance and thoroughly enjoyed the exercise. The day was warm and pleasant and the girls looked extremely dainty and cool in their gauzy muslin gowns.

The guests came early in the morning and spent the time wandering about the beautiful grounds and viewing the art exhibition. This year's exhibit of work done by the pupils far surpassed any work of previous years and shows the result of careful training.

The usual reading of essays was dispensed with this year and the exercises were of a more general nature. They were held in Seminary Hall which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The trustees, faculty, and graduates occupied seats on the platform which was artistically decorated with yellow and white marguerites and white Canterbury bells. The effect was extremely dainty and charming. The anteroom was decorated with great bowls of golden poppies. The class colors, gold and white, were used as much as possible in the color scheme of the decorations.

The girl ushers wore dainty summer frocks and bows of white and gold ribbon were pinned on the breasts.

The exercises began with a Scriptural recitation by the pupils and a hymn. Rev. Dr. Gibson made a short prayer.

Miss Julia Grace Gilbert, a graduate from the Seminary sang in an exquisite manner "In Dreams" and "March Night." Her voice was clear and sweet and showed the effects of careful training.

Miss Lulu Foster Howe, of the Seminary graduating class gave a piano solo: a gavotte and minuet of Huber's. The young lady proved that she had unusual talent. Her playing was certainly very delightful.

Rev. Dr. L. H. Hallock made an address to the class in which he pointed out the true aim of education, saying that the student must not be made merely broadminded but also high-minded. A true education, he said, embraced the teaching of the Bible and Christ. The graduates of Mills had the advantage of not only a liberal and broadminded teaching but of a moral influence tending to make them Christian women.

The Choral Class then sang Mendelsohn's "How Lovely are the Messengers" in a charming manner.

Dr. Hallock then introduced Signor Foli the famous basso of London who has been creating a furore in musical circles.

Signor Foli gave a magnificent rendition of "The Lost Chord," "Blow Thou Wintry Wind," "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep" and other songs. He received enthusiastic applause and was compelled to respond to the demands of the audience.

Mrs. Mills with a few graceful, kindly words to her "dear pupils and daughters" conferred diplomas of graduating from the Seminary on the following young ladies: Estella Bloch, Edna Vincent Brown, Rebecca Louise Davis, Olive Percy Davis, Julia Grace Gilbert, Mabel Hollis, Lulu Foster Howe, Ellenor Rose Mathews, Estelle Josephine Parker, Violet Alta Webster.

Mrs. Mills then conferred the College degree of Bachelor of Arts on the following graduates: Jessie Male French, Julia Florence Lee, Elva Deane Smith.

Miss Smith received a special diploma in recognition of her clever work in art.

The exercises closed with an informal reception being tendered to the graduates.

The Trustees of Mills College held a meeting in the morning and attended to the usual routine business. From the reports made, it was found that the College had never been in a more prosperous condition. The atendance is large and the greatest enthusiasm is displayed by the pupils.

Dr. Wm. C. Bartlett was elected president of the Board of Trustees and Rev. Dr. Coyle and Professor George C. Edwards were elected trustees.

To the Trustees were reported donations of $5000 from D. O. Mills, $1000 from Mrs. William E. Dodge to found a chair for Biblical study, and $1000 from C. Coe of New York. The graduating class presented the college with a Plymouth clock 125 years old, and the publishers of the college periodical, the White and Gold, donated $75 profit to the library.

Countess Wachtmeister's Lecture.

Countess Constance Wachtmeister, the pupil and co-worker of Madam Blavatsky, will lecture in Hamilton Hall, corner Thirteenth and Jefferson, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Subject, "A Conscious Universe and the Evolution of Man." Admission free.

The Bray Estate.

Edward M. Bray, son of the late Watson A. Bray, has filed a petition to be appointed administrator of the estate of his father, who died in December of last year.

Why He Asked.

"Been riding your wheel?" asked the whole man pleasantly.

The man with chunks missing from various parts of his person looked at the whole man fiercely.

"Part of my scalp is gone, isn't it?" he asked.

"Yes."

"A furrow has been gouged along one cheek, hasn't it?"

"Yes."

"There are bandages upon various parts of my body, aren't there?"

"Yes."

"Then why do you deem it necessary to ask me if I have been riding the bicycle?"

"As a delicate compliment to you. I thought——"

"Delicate compliment to me!"

"Yes. It seemed more courteous than to ask if you had been letting the bicycle ride you."—Chicago Evening Post.

An Orator in Trouble.

"Prisoner," said the Police Magistrate, "have you anything to say before I pronounce sentence upon you?"

The prisoner, a battered, blear eyed pilgrim with whiskers that had grown an eighth of an inch since their last coat of blue black dye had been applied, slowly uncrossed his legs and rose to his feet.

"You can do what you please with me, I reckon, Judge," he said. "I was drunk and I was disorderly. There ain't any getting around that. But if I can be allowed to make a few remarks I should like to give a few of the reasons why I believe in the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1—"

But the officers hastily pulled him down.—Chicago Tribune.

A Wild Revel.

"Say," said the man with the correct clothes and the bowed back and horny hands of a farmer, to the restaurant waiter, "have you got pig jowl and greens here? An' buttermilk? An' cornbread? An' kin I shovel the truck in with a knife and take my coat off."

The waiter told him he could be accommodated in all particulars.

The ex-farmer removed his coat and sat down opposite a man who looked as if he might be willing to listen and explained:

"It's been two years now," said he, "sence we struck gas on the farm, and I ain't had a square meal sence. Been fillin' up on Charley horse Rusles, soofly de allakazan, an' all them French dishes ever sence. That's what comes of marryin' a woman who believes in keepin' up with the percession when you got the price, as she puts it."

"I should think you yould have rebelled long ago," said the listener.

"Would, but you see, about three year ago I was so deep in debt that I had to put the farm in her name. I sneaked away today an' left her at one of them fine hotels. I'm goin' to have a orgie of old-fashioned vittels, sasprilly pop, an' mebbe a beer or two, an' go back an' tell her what I've did, an' ef she wants to git a divorce she kin git it. Old Eli will hev hed his day of freedom fer a few glorious hours anyway"—Indianapolis Journal.

Have just received a large assortment of early spring flowering bulbs. Now is the time to plant. H. M. Sanborn, 517 Fourteenth street.

Bay City Flour—ask your grocer for it.

When you are thirsty ask for the new beer of the Buffalo Brewing Co. Henson & Kohler, agents. Southeast corner Webster and Eighth streets.

Special Notice—Our Lease Having expired, we are going to vacate the building next door to the Odd Fellows' Building, Eleventh street, by May 15th. Household goods sacrificed at half price. Now is your chance. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh street.

Still in the Business. Mrs. M. M. Bridges has succeeded to th business of her late husband, M. M. Bridges, at the same place, Sixth and Washington. All kinds of wood and coal on hand. Orders promptly filled. Full weight guaranteed. Telephone 364.

The Redwood Carpenter Shop makes house, barns and garden stakes—110 Ninth Street.

Our Mother's Mush is made in Oakland.

R. J. Hunter & Co., furniture dealers, buy and sell on a cash basis. Their patrons get the benefit. Call at 802 Market st., Oakland.

Bay City Flour—absolutely pure.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

FOR Fine Tailoring Perfect Fit, Best of Workmanship at Moderate Prices, go to JOE POHEIM THE TAILOR. PANTS made to order from $4.00 SUITS made to order from $15.00 MY $17.50 AND $35 SUITS ARE THE BEST IN THE STATE. 455 FOURTEENTH ST., OAKLAND. 201-203 Montgomery Street, S. F.

INFANT HEALTH SENT FREE A little book that should be in every home. Issued by the manufacturers of the Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk. N. Y. Condensed Milk Co. 71 Hudson Street, New York

Wall Paper Newest Styles Lowest Prices. JAMES CAHILL & CO. PAINTERS. 308 TWELFTH STREET

THE BIG TEA HOUSE WITH 105 STORES Gives Free

Beautiful articles richly decorated Also white porcelain and China ware. 3 cups and saucers, 3 plates, 1 vegetable dish, 1 salad bowl, 1 bowl, 1 meat dish, 1 salad bowl, 1 bowl, 1 meat dish, 1 honey dish, Custards, mustard pots, cream pitchers 3 table tumblers, butter dish, Sugar bowl, berry dish, rose bowls, Celery and olive dishes, knives, Forks and Spoons, 6 berry dishes and A large lot of other useful dishes.

YOUR CHOICE FREE With Each Pound. 50c TEAS, any kind, Colima Pure Spices, Colima Baking Powder, —AT— Great American Importing Tea Co.'s

MONEY SAVING STORES 917 Broadway, Oakland; 1053 Washington St.; 731 San Pablo Ave.; 616 E. Twelfth St.; 1355 Park St., Alameda

SPECIAL Auction Sale!

I am instructed to close out by auction, on the premises, NO. 508 THIRTEENTH ST., NEAR WASHINGTON ST., OAKLAND, commencing Saturday, May 23d, at 2 o'clock P. M., the entire Stock and Fixtures belonging to the business of M. A. B. Berg, deceased, consisting of FINE OIL PAINTINGS in heavy gold frames, by such artists as Hill, Wandesforde, Rodfrequiz, Holdridge, etc., ETCHINGS, ENGRAVINGS, FAC SIMILES, PASTELS, ARTOTYPES ENGRAVINGS, PHOTOGRAPHS. This sale is peremptory and without reserve, as the store is rented for other business and must be vacated by June 1st.

C. W. KINSEY, General Auctioneer. T. J. O'CONNOR, AUCTIONEER

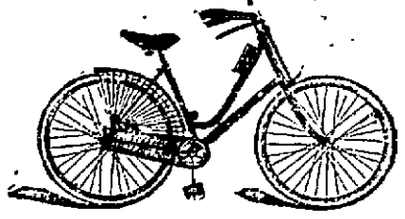
CHAS. H. WOOD CORRECTLY FITTED 1001 WASHINGTON ST. OAKLAND. GRELLIN PHARMACY. Examination free. Spectacles and eye glasses, all grades and qualities. Oculists' prescriptions filled at lowest rates. Spectacles repaired. The Invisible Common Sense Ear Drums.

IF YOU WISH To enjoy the day properly you must order your Sunday dinner from L. C. BEEM, New City Market, S. E. Cor. 12th and Washington Sts. —TELEPHONE 355.—

PUBLIC WEIGHING Oakland's Heavy Weights Are weighed on the Largest Scales in Oakland. OAKLAND IRON WORKS New Standard 15 Ton Scales used for Public Weighing. SECOND STREET, NEAR JEFFERSON

STOCKER & HOLLAND Searchers of Records 804 BROADWAY Oakland, Cal.

BICYCLES BICYCLES! BICYCLES!



Grand Clearance Sale —OF— SHOP-WORN AND SECOND-HAND BICYCLES. WHEELS FROM $2.50 UP.

Now is the time to secure a good wheel cheap, as we are clearing out old stock.

GEO. A. FAULKNER, Twelfht and Webster Sts.

The Popular Drug Store, 1101 San Pablo Av., will occupy this space with cut-rate announcements in a few days.